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Observations... From Around Town

(BY JAY WHOZIT)

May we suggest that you read the Editorial in this issue, "Every Question Has Two Sides," the next big event for the Gulf Coast is the Garden Club Pilgrimage sponsored by the Coast Council of Garden Clubs, which begins here on April 11th, with visits to Lilloff's Farm and Saint Augustine's Seminary. Now that Ed and Lorraine Adams have opened the Lorraine Flower Shop on Highway 90, you won't have to travel out-of-town for your floral needs. Call them your order and show your appreciation for their location in our town... help the boys who made it possible for the hospital to be built much-needed oxygen tent by attending the Independent Basketball Tournament this weekend... just leave it to Brother Raymond to come up with the money. On April 12th his Stanislaus Band will play at all-air band from Saint Peter's Academy in Biloxi, Miss., will proceed to Columbia, Miss., on April 16th, where they will participate in a one-contest Festival. The State Band Conference will be held at the same time. The band didn't get a chance to travel in their Easter tapers last Sunday with the temperature in the low 40s and that cold wind coming out of the northwest at an 18-mile an hour clip, but even the Easter bunny had an extra fur jacket. I did you know, Mississippi is the only state in the Union without a workman's compensation law. The work of paving the five-mile stretch of new highway recently built by the state highway department, west of Bay St. Louis is proceeding quite rapidly and should be ready for use in the next 90 days. We have the 1947 campaign for raising funds for the American Cancer Society has been postponed to the month of May—we should bear this in mind and all should lend their help to help "lick" this dreaded disease; send your contributions when the drive starts to Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, Hancock County chairman of the drive. Pete Porter now has that new Pontiac on display, if you are interested and care to, go around and take a look... the first strawberries of the 1948 season made their appearance in local stores this week, but gosh, what prices... be sure to attend the Little Theater Hurricane Party on April 3rd at St. Joseph Academy auditorium. You may win one or several of the many wonderful prizes to be given away... Bay St. Louis has reason to be justly proud of its Little Theater organization, which in two years, has risen from a membership of 25 to more than 200... the Little Theater opened its 1948 Spring season with "Yes, My Darling Daughter" for three nights, March 31, April 1-2... spring should mean "clean-up" time in our community as in all others, and we list here a few suggestions: Clear out debris; get rid of anything combustible in attics, closets, cellars, garages, etc.; clean up your yard; keep grass-cut low around buildings; check your fuses in your household circuits; and don't put pennies behind blown fuses; check stoves and heaters; plan needed painting and minor repairing around your home; the above are just a few of the things you can do to help keep your home and your community clean and sanitary... J. C. Roland, Jr., who represents the Equitable Life Assurance Society in this section is a member of the \$200,000.00 Club of the Mississippi-West Tennessee Agency, which is headed by Ernest Barber, former Coast resident as Agency Manager—the agency magazine "Pointers" has this to say of J. C. "Everyone loves to see a rookie doing a good job in the big leagues and that is just what happened last month in the Rebel Unit. J. C. Roland has been under contract less than a year but led the unit and was second in the agency. Congratulations J. C. we are proud of you and know you will make good in the big league."

Porter's Service Named Pontiac Dealer in County

A brand new Pontiac 8 Cylinder Silver Streak is on display in the show rooms of Porter's Service, who have been named Pontiac Dealers in Hancock County. Porter's will handle the sales and service of Pontiac under their dealership. Mr. Porter has been at Pontiac school in New Orleans studying the servicing of Pontiac, particularly the new Hydro-matic drive which is now featured on all models. For the time being he allotment of cars to the new agency will not be heavy, however they have been assured delivery of two cars per month for the present. Mr. and Mrs. Porter will welcome a visit from their many friends to see the new car on display.

Crump Gardens Open To Public For Benefit Of American Red Cross

'Holly Bluff on the Jordan' to be Opened on Saturday and Sunday April 3rd and 4th—Quota Not Reached in Red Cross Drive

"Holly Bluff on the Jordan" has beautiful gardens of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Crump, will be open to the public on Saturday and Sunday, April 3rd, and 4th, from 1 o'clock in the afternoon until sundown on each day.

An admission charge of fifty cents will be made, and all proceeds will go to the American Red Cross Campaign Fund Drive in Hancock County.

The Crump Garden is one of the prettiest in this section, with azaleas and Camellias interspersed in most beautiful setting of oaks and other shrubs.

The route to the Crump Home is out the Bay-Kill road to within a few hundred feet of the Jordan River Bridge, and thence turn right for about a mile and this brings you to the entrance. The roadway leading off of the Bay-Kill road is marked. It is hoped that many will take advantage of this opportunity to see this lovely garden, and in doing so they will be helping a great cause, the Red Cross.

The drive is lagging, and at the present time the quota in Hancock County has not been reached. For the first time in the history of the Red Cross Drive, and of all times that we should have gone over the top, it was this time. Knowing the splendid work done by the Red Cross for the people of the County in time of need, should have given us more incentive to raise the amount allocated to us than at any other time.

It is to be hoped that within a few days the entire amount will be raised.

Dr. J. Q. Fountain Dies At Memphis

Dr. J. Q. Fountain, died in Memphis, Tenn., on Sunday, March 28th, and funeral service and burial was held there on Monday, March 29th. Dr. Fountain was born in Columbia, Miss., and came to Pearlport following his graduation from the Tulane School of Medicine. He practiced his profession at Pearlport, Logtown and later at Bay St. Louis, for about thirty years. He served as a member of the Legislature from this County, and for a number of years was chairman of the Hancock County Democratic Executive Committee. He moved from Bay St. Louis to Gulfport, where he practiced for a while, and from there he went to Hattiesburg to enter business. He later moved to Sardis, Miss., where he entered the practice of his profession and farmed on an extensive scale. About three years ago he retired and moved to Memphis, where he resided until his death.

During World War I, Dr. Fountain served in the Medical Corps of the United States Army, with a rank of Major.

He is survived by his two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd Connelly and Miss Bebe Fountain, and two brothers, Dr. Noel W. Fountain of Picayune and C. W. Fountain of Logtown.

Finals Of Independent Basketball Tournament Fri. And Sat. Nights

On Friday and Saturday nights, April 2nd and 3rd, local basketball fans will have a last look at their favorite sport when the semi-finals and finals of the Independent League Tourney will be played.

Sellers, a doubtful entry last week, is now a definite starter and gives Hancock County a total of eight teams entered.

There will be four games Friday night starting at 6:30 p. m. with the games slated for the Saturday finals beginning at 7:30 p. m.

The oxygen tent for the hospital the big reason behind the tournament, arrived in Bay St. Louis Tuesday morning and was immediately placed in use. A five week old baby with pneumonia may owe its life to this fine effort.

Officials for the games are Robert McNeice of Picayune, referee; Paul Tourne of Bay St. Louis, score keeper; and Bobby Fayard of Bay St. Louis, timekeeper.

Miss Ida Jane Edwards Died Monday Morning

Miss Ida Jane Edwards died at the family residence on Washington Street, Monday morning, March 29th, at 10:15 o'clock. She was a native of New Orleans, the daughter of John Edwards and Katherine Keefe and had been a resident of Bay St. Louis for the past 30 years.

Miss Edwards was a graduate of the Charity Hospital School of Nursing and had practiced her profession as a registered nurse for over 50 years. She had been a member of the nursing staff of the Kings Daughters Hospital in Bay St. Louis for a number of years, and retired from active practice about five years ago.

She was a member of the Altar Society of the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf, of St. Margaret's Daughters, and of the National Council of Catholic Women.

Funeral services were held from the Fahey Funeral Home on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, followed by a Requiem Mass at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf, with the Right Reverend Monsignor Andrew J. Gmelch as celebrant. Reverend Father Edward Desmond conducted the services at the funeral home and at Cedar Rest cemetery.

Surviving her are, one sister Miss May Hicks Edwards, two brothers, John K. and George Hicks Edwards, and 9 nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were C. C. McDonald, Harry Glover, George Stevenson, Benjamin Edwards, James Edwards, Dr. James A. Evans and Wayne Higginbotham.

Solemn High Mass Celebrated on Easter Sunday

Reverend Monsignor A. J. Canon Gmelch was celebrant at the Solemn High Mass at eleven o'clock on Easter at Our Lady of the Gulf Church, Sunday morning. Rev. Father Fox was Deacon and Rev. Father Bryan was sub-Deacon. Rev. Father Edw. P. Desmond served as Master of Ceremonies. Solemn Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, immediately followed the Mass.

Monsignor Gmelch gave a short but impressive sermon on Easter. The altars were exquisite with lighted candles in golden holders and Easter lilies in golden vases. On either side of the main altar stood a basket of these beautiful blossoms.

Kings Daughters To Meet April 5th at Hospital

The regular monthly meeting of the Kings Daughters will be held at the hospital on Monday, April 5th. At this meeting the annual election of officers will take place. All members are urged to be present. Please note the time of the meeting which will be at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Children's Easter Service At Christ Episcopal Church

The children of the Episcopal Church attended a very impressive Easter Service on Sunday afternoon, at three p. m. During the service, they placed "Mite Boxes" and flowers at the foot of a cross. The mite boxes contained their contributions for the Missions, saved during Lent. The flowers were placed upon the cross, making a lovely floral design.

Rev. H. B. Vinneburg of Hattiesburg, Miss., gave a very beautiful Easter story. After the service, the children were driven to the J. W. Dupaque farm, where games were played, prizes given and refreshments were served.

R.S. Blaize Sr. Announces Candidacy

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce the candidacy of Ralph S. Blaize Sr. as a candidate for commissioner of the City of Bay St. Louis, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election to be held for the election of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Bay St. Louis.

To The Qualified Voters Of Bay St. Louis, Miss.: This is to announce my Candidacy for the Office of City Commissioner. I was born in Bay St. Louis and have lived here all my life. I have been a voter and tax payer ever since I became old enough to vote. When Bay St. Louis was under the Aldermanic form of Government, I served twelve years as Alderman of the Second Ward. During my tenure of office we bought the water works from Mr. Chas. Sanger, contracted for the Bay High School, built the sea wall from Union Street to the end of the St. Joseph's Academy and at no time was the tax levy over fifteen mills. The City was always in a cash basis and when I went out of office there was a surplus of twelve thousand dollars in the bank. While serving as Alderman I was working for the Dunbar-Duke Canning Company. I did a yearly average of a quarter of a million dollar business at the plant I ran. I worked for this company thirty eight years. I am not saying I will do this or do that, if elected. Everyone knows, or should know the deplorable financial and physical condition the city is in and that it is impossible to make any new improvements without a bond issue. I think the tax payers are fed up on bond issues. If the new administration will be able to improve the drainage and open all the present ditches and make the damaged beach road passable until we can get some relief from the state or the U. S. Government, they will be doing well. My aim if elected is to try and lower taxes and put Bay St. Louis on a cash basis.

One promise I will make if elected, my first act will be to make a motion to cut the salaries of the Mayor and Commissioners to two hundred dollars, and use some of this saving to increase the poor, underpaid city employees' salaries. I do not see how they exist on their present salaries. If you want an honest, efficient administration, vote for Ralph Blaize. Thanking you in advance for your vote and support.

I am respectfully yours
RALPH S. BLAIZE

Will Conduct
REVIVAL SERIES AT
BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. Norton Haas Entertains Senior Class Of Kiln High School

Mrs. Norton Haas entertained the senior class of the Kiln Consolidated School at a beach party on Tuesday, March 30. Weiners and marshmallows were roasted and games were played around a big fire. Those present were: Hallie Rester, Charlyne Nicaise, Peggy Nicaise, Lois Haas, Yvonne Lee, Juanita Lovelless, J. W. Olsen, Larry Prince, Wesley Haas, C. J. Lee, Robert Lee, Jesse Lott, and Mr. Percy Garriga.

Funeral Services Held For W. W. Stockstill at Picayune

William W. Stockstill, died at his home on Main Street, at Noon on Good Friday, of heart failure. He was born near Picayune, when that section was located in Hancock County, on February 17th, 1870, and was 78 years of age. He was the son of George W. Stockstill and Frances A. Smith.

The body was kept at the Fahey Funeral Home until Saturday morning and then transferred to the McDonald Funeral Home, at Picayune. Funeral services were held from the Church of the McDonald Funeral Home at 2:30 p. m. Saturday March 27th with services at the Baptist Church, conducted by the Reverend W. S. Allen, former Pastor of the Bay St. Louis Baptist Church, assisted by Reverend John T. Dearing of Bay St. Louis. Burial was in Palestine Cemetery, in the family burial ground.

Mr. Stockstill was a resident of Bay St. Louis for nearly 50 years. He was elected Superintendent of Education in 1899 and served until 1908. In 1911 he was named clerk of courts of Hancock County, to serve the unexpired term of the late Emile H. Hoffmann. He then attended the University of Mississippi, taking his law course and in 1912 he began the practice of his profession, which he followed until his retirement in December 1946.

He was very active in the affairs of the Baptist Church in Bay St. Louis, being Senior Deacon and Chairman of the Board of Deacons. He served as Sunday School Superintendent and as clerk of the church for over 20 years.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Lena Driver, two brothers, George L. and Jesse E. Stockstill of Picayune, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Stewart, and Mrs. Louisa Keaton.

Mr. Stockstill was a humble and God-fearing man, honest and trustworthy, who enjoyed the confidence of his clients. In death we have lost a good citizen.

nor listen. There is a message for all mankind in The Holy Bible, a message of hope and deliverance from the forces of evil.

Come and hear these messages that God Might Have His Way with you."

Telephone Directory Distributed

Users Asked to Refer to
Directory For Numbers
Or To Call "Information"

A new telephone directory for Bay St. Louis, containing many new and changed listings and other helpful telephone information, has just been distributed.

Approximately 1,167 new directories have been delivered to homes and offices, according to J. C. Dabney, group manager for the Southern Bell Telephone Company.

The new directory has a green cover, which makes it easily distinguishable from the old gray-covered telephone book.

Mr. Dabney asks that telephone users refer to the new directory for the desired number. Looking up the number helps to avoid the possibility of getting a wrong number, and frequently saves time for the calling party as well as the party who might be called in error. Consulting the directory also helps make the best use of already crowded central office equipment. "Information" should be called only when the desired number is not listed in the directory.

The directory includes the classified section—yellow pages—containing helpful information conveniently arranged as to types of businesses and services.

Because of the continuing paper shortage, only a limited supply of directories could be printed, and Mr. Dabney requests that good care be taken of the new copies. He also suggests that the old directories be turned over to scrap paper collectors with other waste paper.

Ladies of Protestant Churches Held Meeting At Methodist Church

An interesting gathering of the ladies of the Episcopal Church, Methodist and Baptist Churches met at the Methodist Church on Tuesday, March 30th. Mrs. Burkin Oliver led the service. Miss Lillian Day of St. Marks Community Center in New Orleans gave a brief but enjoyable talk.

These groups of ladies plan to meet every fifth week for worship and social service. The ladies of the Episcopal Church will be hosts in the summer, the Baptist in the Fall. After the business meeting the ladies repaired to the Sunday School where delicious refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

April Proclaimed Cancer Control Month-Drive To Be Held In May

Local Unit of Cancer Control Society Under Leadership of Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois Active—Receive Letter Of Appreciation

H. Grady Perkins, Mayor Pro-Tem of the City of Bay St. Louis has issued a proclamation declaring the month of April as Cancer Control Month, and which proclamation follows:

PROCLAMATION
Whereas, The Governor of the State of Mississippi has proclaimed the month of April as set aside by the National Congress, as Cancer Control Month, and

Whereas, one out of every three who now die of cancer could be saved through early detection and prompt treatment

Whereas, the death rate of one in every eight deaths from cancer could be reduced by an expanded service program

Whereas, the people of Hancock County can always be depended upon to contribute to all humanitarian causes
Therefore, I, H. Grady Perkins, Mayor pro tem of the City of Bay St. Louis, do hereby proclaim April as

CANCER CONTROL MONTH and it is my desire that all citizens enter into the county program for cancer control.

Therefore Be It Further Resolved that all citizens, organizations, and all enterprises be called upon to cooperate with the Mississippi Division, the American Cancer Society in the April campaign.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Miss., to be affixed, this 30th day of March, 1948.

(SEAL)
H. GRADY PERKINS
Mayor Pro Tem.

Bodies Of War Dead Will Be Shipped Here Shortly

Bodies of Lawrence P. Van Court and Russell Lafontaine Will Be Shipped Home From Memphis Distribution Center

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Pere Le Due Council 1522 Knights of Columbus held their meeting Monday night, March 22, 1948 at the Home on Main Street. Plans were made for taking candidates to Gulfport on April 11th, 1948 for initiation.

Sam Favre, Jr. resigned as Advocate and Dr. John L. Griffin was elected to serve his unexpired term.

Grand Knight Wilmer Thibaux announced that the members are planning to receive corporate communion with their families on Mothers' Day, May 9th, 1948.

The oxygen tent for the Kings Daughters Hospital made possible through the Independent Basketball Tournament arrived and is already in operation.

A new Attendance Committee has been appointed by the Grand Knight composed of Warren Carver, Chairman, Father Fox, and George Anderson.

Last Sunday, Easter, sixty five members received corporate communion at Our Lady of the Gulf Church at 7 o'clock mass and had breakfast of ham and eggs at the K. C. Home afterwards.

The benefit bingo game for the American Red Cross drive will be held on Thursday, April 8th, 1948 at the Knights of Columbus Home, Main Street starting at 8 o'clock, P. M.

Senior Class Kiln High School Presents "Don't Darken My Door"

The Senior Class of Kiln Consolidated School under the sponsorship of Mrs. Norton Haas presents the comedy, "Don't Darken My Door," April 8th at 8 p. m. in the Kiln School gym.

The cast is as follows:
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The bodies of two young men who gave their lives for their Country in World War II will reach here in the next few days.

The body of Seaman First Class Lawrence P. Van Court of the United States Navy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Van Court, of New Orleans, former residents of Bay St. Louis, will arrive in San Francisco, about April 2nd.

The body of Sergeant Russel R. LaFontaine, of the United States Army who lost his life in the European Theatre, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan LaFontaine of Lakeshore, was to arrive in New York, on April 1st.

From San Francisco and New York, the bodies of these boys will be shipped to the Memphis Distribution Center, under military guard, and from there telegrams will be sent three days before the caskets are scheduled to leave the distribution center, in order to allow ample time to complete final funeral arrangements.

From Memphis Distribution Center, a Military Escort, of the same rank and arm of service as the deceased will escort the bodies to the final destination selected by the next of kin.

The body of Seaman Lawrence P. Van Court has been ordered delivered to the Fahey Funeral Home for interment here, and that of Sergeant LaFontaine is consigned to his mother Mrs. Mary LaFontaine, at Lakeshore.

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Respectfully,
(Mrs.) Sarah Huff.

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THE PASSING OF A NOBLE CHARACTER

When death came to Miss Ida Edwards last Monday morning, God in His Wisdom, had called to her eternal reward a noble woman, a sainted character, whose life's work was serving her God and aiding humanity.

A trained nurse by profession, she devoted her time to the sick, her family and her church. Her own well being meant little to her. Her profession meant the care of the sick. She was ever at call, whether the disease was contagious or not.

She led a kind, devout and holy life, filled with humility, evermindful of death, with which she came in contact daily. She believed in the immortality of her soul. She honored and worshipped God, hoping for the day of her eternal reward. She was a daily communicant in the Catholic Church, unless her professional duties prevented her attendance.

The words of Henry Longfellow, in The Golden Legend would best express a true picture of this noble character:

"So mild, so merciful, so strong, so good,
So patient, peaceful, loyal, loving, pure."

EVERY QUESTION HAS TWO SIDES

At the present time the topic of conversation throughout the entire length and breadth of our County is the proposed legislation for the repair of the roadway and seawall on the Beach Front. From what we are able to gather there is some organized opposition coming from the rural sections of the County to the legislation which would enable the Board of Supervisors to call for an election for a bond issue for this purpose, which would be retired from the Gasoline Tax.

Of course every question has two sides, and we should not jump at conclusions and condemn any person for their views on public matters of this type, but we should try our best to acquaint them with the actual facts as they exist.

After all this is our County, and whatever good comes to it, redounds in the final to the benefits of all its inhabitants either directly or indirectly, and if a mistake is made, and the results prove detrimental, again it will affect all.

The question that rises uppermost in the minds of the Supervisors and the people from the rural sections is that the gasoline tax that is paid by the State to the Counties for use on roads and bridges is used in Hancock County for the payment of the Road Protection or sea wall bonds. This amounts to approximately \$5,000.00 per month under the present allocation of the 6 cents per gallon tax collected on Gasoline at this time. The contention of the opposition to the proposed legislation is that it is necessary that a road and bridge tax be collected for the upkeep of the roads, and that they have to pay this tax and get no benefit whatsoever from the Gasoline tax, and that the only section that benefits from the gasoline tax is the Beach Front. Of course there is some merit in their argument. The rural districts in the County have many miles of road and many bridges and culverts to maintain, and certainly it takes money to do this work. The heavy rains of last year, and of this year, together with the September Hurricane did much damage to the roads and bridges throughout the County. The Board of Supervisors have tried to repair these damaged sections, and in the spending of the money did not hesitate to allow large sums from their maintenance funds for work to temporarily repair as much as possible the beach roadway. All of these unusual expenditures have depleted their maintenance funds, and now they find themselves unable to carry on their ordinary maintenance work, let alone make some very necessary repairs on bridges and roadways that have been very badly effected by the heavy rainfalls and swollen streams. Of course when a group feels that they are neglected or have been overlooked and that another group has received the greater benefits, it is only human to raise a cry. We can thoroughly understand the position of the people of the rural sections.

On the other hand, we too, feel that we have a justifiable cause. As far as the bonds that have been issued in the County, the part spent in the rural section, and the part spent on the Seawall differs very little in total.

The people of Beat five have not hesitated nor complained of the payment of tax necessary to meet these obligations that were issued for the purpose of giving to the people of the rural sections good roads and good bridges. They have paid the greater portion of the \$865,000.00 of County bonds that were issued for road and bridge purposes, and pay the greater part of the taxes of the County. In fact we think that the figures will show that they paid over 65 per cent of the total amount. Again of the \$200,000.00 of road and sea wall bonds that were issued in 1940, the greater portion of which was used for the paving of the Bay-Kill Road, the Logtown-Highway Road, the Napoleon Road, the building of the Bayou LaCroix Bridge and the Jordan River Bridge, and the surfacing with gravel and the rebuilding of numerous other roads and bridges throughout the County is paid out of the Gasoline Tax. In fact at the present time of the outstanding Sea Wall bonds, approximately 20 per cent of these bonds were for use on roads and bridges of the county in the rural sections.

Suppose as contended by the Supervisors, that the 2 1/2 cents of Gasoline tax should not be applied to the Road Protection Bonds, but be used for road purposes, the total of which would amount to approximately \$60,000.00 a year. It would first be necessary for the Supervisors to set aside at least 35 per cent of this amount to the payment of county road and bridge obligations, and the balance would be approximately \$40,000.00 which could be used for road purposes. The tax loss from the storm damage this year will approximate \$30,000.00 and unless the seawall and roadway is repaired the assessments must of necessity be reduced, and the county will sustain a greater tax loss, which may exceed in the final the \$40,000.00, that could if the statutes were not so written, be allocated to roads. As we see it one offsets the other, and with the repair of the sea wall and beach road, rebuilding will progress rapidly, and additional assessments will be made, and tax receipts will grow and give added revenue to the County.

Under the bill recently passed which impounds any surplus that may accrue in the Road Protection Bond Fund from the gasoline tax, which allows the use of this money only for the repair of the seawall or roadway adjoining the sea wall, a surplus will accrue from the present Gasoline Tax Receipts. We do not want this money spent in piece meal, without a definite program. We feel that necessary legislation should be passed to enable the Board of Supervisors to call an election for the issuance of bonds for the repair of the seawall, and to use this money to retire these bonds and the County Road and Bridge Bonds. However before any election is called, a competent engineer should be employed to make a complete survey of the necessary work to be done, and the estimate of the costs of this work, with a full and detail report made to the Board of Supervisors, and they then should pass the orders for the issuance of bonds only in the amount necessary to do the work, and not in the total amount authorized in the bill if it is not deemed necessary. If the proponents of the bond issue are then victorious at the polls and the bonds are authorized and issued, a contract should be let for the entire project, to be carried on under the direction

Highway Patrol To Place Emphasis On Motor Scooters

Colonel T. B. Birdsong, Commissioner of Public Safety states, We have entirely too many of our boys and girls driving cars, motor scooters and motor bikes without driver's license and in many instances they are too young to even obtain a license. The law says you must have reached your 15th birthday before you can apply for a driver's license. The Attorney General has ruled you must have a driver's license to operate a motor scooter or motor driven bike. When a boy or girl is learning to drive, they must secure a Learner's Permit which enables them to drive when in the car with a licensed driver. We had some boys killed and severely

injured in 1947, riding motor scooters, and in each instance we found they were not of legal driving age. Says Birdsong further: I am appealing to the Mothers and Fathers of our state not to allow their boys and girls to operate a vehicle of any kind, whether it be a car, truck, motor scooter or motor bike until he or she has obtained a driver's license. Not only is it dangerous, endangering their lives and others because they are not familiar with our laws, not properly trained, but when a parent allows their boy or girl to drive without a license they are encouraging them to violate the laws of our state. Quote

of the engineer selected by the Board, and with the contractor furnishing a performance bond.

If the proposed legislation is passed, and if the bonds are voted for, repair of the Seawall and roadway, and if the retirements are calculated, so that the total amount of bond principal and interest due by the County will not exceed the revenue received from the Gasoline tax, then in that event the Board of Supervisors will not have to levy a tax for the retirement of the Road and Bridge Bonds, but will be able to pay them from this revenue. This tax levy at the present time is 5 Mills. The tax levy for the Loan Warrant bond fund is 3 Mills and the levy for the School Bond Fund is 1 Mill. The last mentioned two levies will not be needed in the coming year, as all bonds for which these particular levies are made will be paid. This would enable the Board to add these 9 Mills to their Bridge levies, and without any increase in taxes, this together with the other road and bridge levy, and the income from Automobile licenses, etc., would give them under the present assessment approximately \$120,000.00, next year for the maintenance of their roads and bridges.

During this year we are practically certain that they will receive from the State some \$55,000.00, from an appropriation of \$5,000,000.00 for road construction. In the event this is received, and if the sea wall bonds are issued we would suggest that this money be allocated entirely to the rural districts of the County. And in conclusion we have one other suggestion to make to the City of Bay St. Louis and to the Town of Waveland. In the event bonds are issued for the sea wall and roadway, why not waive payment of the ad valorem tax for the year, in order to relieve the Board of Supervisors of the present pressure that they are undergoing in their road maintenance fund. After all much of this money was spent on Hurricane damage, and if we are successful in having money allocated for the repair of our Beach Front we should be generous enough to say, thank you, you need not pay us our ad valorem tax this year.

CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR



WHAT I STAND FOR:

Hello, Folks!

In the past fifteen years how much taxes have you paid? Stop for a few minutes and figure. It really amounts to something big, doesn't it? Now what have you received in return? Do you honestly think you have received its value? I would say, "No," and I am sure that eighty-five percent of the local taxpayers will agree with me. The whole truth is that the situation is getting increasingly worse all the time.

Yes, it's just mud and water wherever you go. Our drains, ditches and streets are in a deplorable condition. Shamefully I admit that in a city our size, only part of three streets have proper drainage. What have we to offer ourselves and new property owners but enormous, outrageous taxes on property and open ditches of filth, slime, mud and water for drainage? It's hurting our real estate businesses primarily, but all other businesses are fighting a losing battle. Our present outmoded and unsanitary manner of drainage is a real and constant danger to the progress and advancement of our town. Are we American citizens with our ideals of honesty and integrity going to sit idly by and let this drainage continue under the present conditions or will we speak up and make the necessary change for better? With such wonderful opportunities and possibilities we should exert all our energies toward building an adequate drainage system to protect our health, enhance our property and encourage prospective owners.

Sincerely yours,

EARL RAMOND,

Senate Bill 161—Laws 1938—Section 34:

PERMITTING UNAUTHORIZED MINOR TO DRIVE:

Sec. 34. No person shall cause or knowingly permit his child or ward under the age of 15 years to drive a motor vehicle upon any highway when such minor is not authorized hereunder or in violation of any of the provisions of this act. As to lights, I again appeal to each driver to have on their cars good head lights and a good tail light, a good dimmer switch. We have entirely too many defective lights on vehicles using our highways. Check your lights regular and when they are out have them fixed. Dim your lights when meeting a car.

We in the Highway Patrol are going to continue our many Educational Programs through the Press and Radio, Outdoor Advertising Agencies, Schools and Civic Groups and at the same time tighten up on enforcement.

We need the cooperation of each person in our state and believe you will help us to reduce Traffic Accidents.

We are not trying to set any outstanding records, just trying to keep our citizens from being killed

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Freshmen: Thomas Aicklen, Bruce Favre, Roger Manfre, Scotty Assenheimer, Robert Cagle, Grant Gearheard, Sam Landry, Toni Stim-

mel James Touchard, Vincent Liherto.

Eighth Grade: Fred Cabell, Jacques Ehlinger, Paul Hurley, Robert Mills, James Newsym, Arthur Schick, Morgan Smith, Richard Woods.

Seventh Grade: Billy Cooper, Moises Garcia, Joseph Genna, Mac Haas, Don Levy, Roy O'Neil, John Selman, Shelby Tucker, Frank Radford, Larry Scharff, James Brown, James Curran, Ronald Frank, William Gearheard, Gerald Gex, Fred Laurent, Frank Pons, Henry Roca, Tommy Schoen, David Treutel.

Sixth Grade: Edmond Aime, Anthony Benigno, Charles Ferry, Henry LaRocca, Ernest Posey, William Scarborough, David Tucker, Jerry Wiegand.

Fifth Grade: John Calhoun, John Glover, Anthony Loiacano, Max Menk, Douglas Talbot.

Fourth Grade: Michael Curran, Wells Longshore, Lawrence Mathes, Philip Menk, William Prewitt.



Mary Lee Taylor's
Sausage Casserole
Broadcast: April 3, 1948

1 cup Pet Milk
1 cup water
1 cup corn meal
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup chopped, pared apples

3/4 lb. link pork sausage
2 1/2 tablespoons cold water

Turn on oven; set at hot (425° F.). Heat milk and water to boiling. Stir in corn meal and salt so slowly that boiling does not stop. Add apples. Boil and stir 5 min. Pour into greased 8-in. baking dish. Put sausage and cold water into skillet. Cover; steam 5 min. Arrange sausages on top of corn meal mixture. Bake 15 min., or until sausages are brown. Serve with fried apple slices, if desired. Makes 4 servings.

You Will Need:

Pet Milk 2 Cans 27c
1 Lb. 8 oz. Pkg.
CORN MEAL 20c
Link Pork
SAUSAGE 1 lb. 69c
APPLES 1 lb. 10c

No. 1 Tall Can
PEACHES 15c
No. 2 1/2 Can
APRICOTS 15c
Delmonte Crushed
PINEAPPLE, No. 2 can 35c
No. 2 can
PLUM PUDDING 25c
No. 2 Can
DATE NUT ROLL 25c
No. 2 Can Pitted
CHERRIES 32c



Blue Rose
Rice 2 lbs. 34c
Red Beans 2 lbs. 30c
Extra Fine—Nutritious
Tomatoes No. 2 can 14c
Adds Color and Flavor
Tomato Sauce 2 for 13c
Campbells (Solves Emergency)
Pork & Beans 1 lb. can 16c
For Sandwiches
Corn Beef 12 oz. can 55c
Swift Premium
Roast Beef 12 oz. can 55c

Factory Packed
Sugar 5 lbs. 42c

Ballard's Obelisk Plain or Self-Rising
Flour 25 lb. \$1.99

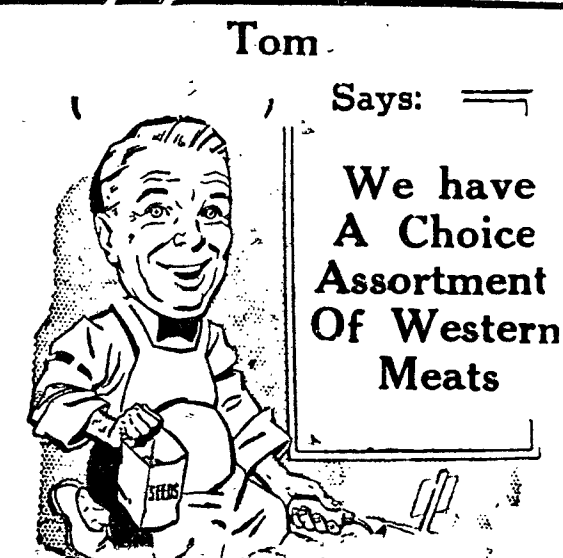
Colored
Oleo 1 lb. 52c
Ready-To-Eat
Picnic Hams 1 lb. 49c

Country Smoked
Sausage 1 lb. 35c
Indoors-Outdoors They're Tops
Weiners 1 lb. 35c

SALT MEAT 1 lb. 25c

Dressed and Drawn
HENS 1 lb. 59c

Dressed and Drawn
FRYERS 1 lb. 69c



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REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Be it remembered that on Monday, March 1, 1948, at 10:00 A. M., at the Board of Supervisors Room in the Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, in the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, the following named were present: to-wit: Ed P. Ortte, President of said Board; Jack Lott, John Shaw, Frank Keller, Jos. C. Jones, members; B. D. Johnson, Sheriff of said County and A. C. Mitchell, Clerk of said Board.

Be it ordered by the Board that Insurance Policy No. R. H. 1745 be renewed for the year February 21, 1948 to February 21, 1949 for the amount of \$50,000.00 valuation. Rate 4% on \$2,000.00 S. R. & C. C. at 12% of \$62.50 Total of premium \$2,062.50.

And is this day approved by the Board.

Be it ordered by the Board that warrant No. 29236, claim No. 908, for the amount of \$194.29 drawn on General County Fund be cancelled. And by doing so the Board orders the Clerk of said Board to issue a new warrant in payment of the above claim. The issuance of this new warrant is due to error being made on the check protector.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk is to warrant and proper claim number on the Sea Wall Fund payable to the L. & N. Railroad for damages on NKP 7055 Carload of Pontons. The year of damage on claim number 1672, and this day given of claim number 1673.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Homestead exemption for Albert Biedt for the year 1947 be approved and is hereby approved. Due to the fact Biedt had in 1947 petitioned for Homestead exemption, and as there was no copy of the original bond in the Clerk's office and by testimony of Mr. George C. Jones, that the Biedt family had in fact possession was satisfactory evidence for the 1947 Homestead exemption. So be it ordered by the Board that his application be approved in accordance with the order of the year 1947.

AMENDED ORDER
There came before the Board the matter of the last application of Albert Daniel Biedt.
We have examined the triplicate application and have made full inquiry with reference to the matter and in our opinion this is the triplicate application delivered to the applicant when he made his application for Homestead Exemption on January 23rd, 1947. The Clerk is directed to prepare a certified copy of this triplicate application as required by Section 15 of the Homestead Exemption Act of 1946, prepare a claim against the State Tax Commission for reimbursement and all other such things as may be necessary to comply with the law in connection with lost Homestead Exemption application.

It is ordered by the Board that the application be reinstated, and the sheriff notified that the applicant be permitted to pay tax on the property covered by this application at the exempt rate.

Be it ordered by the Board that

the Board recess until Friday, March 12, 1948.

ED P. ORTTE
President Board of Supervisors.

Friday morning, March 12, 1948.
The Board met pursuant to recess. There were present as on Monday, March 1, 1948.

Reference is made to the conference held at the Courthouse Bay St. Louis, on 3 February, 1948, in regard to the county's application for a Beach Erosion Study. At the conference it was decided that this office would estimate the cost of the study and submit a draft of a suggested formal application.

A draft of the suggested application is herewith to-wit:

Date: _____
District Engineer
Corps of Engineers
Department of the Army
Mobile, Alabama.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of section 2 of Public Law 520, 72nd Congress, approved July 3, 1930 (Chapter 847, paragraph 2, 46 Stat. 945; 33 U. S. C. 426), as amended and supplemented, the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss., hereby makes formal application for a cooperative study of the problems connected with the seawall in Hancock County, Miss., to determine the best method of repairing the existing sea wall and protecting it from further damage and to determine what share of the cost of any recommended plan should be borne by the United States as provided in Public Law 727, 79th Congress, 2nd session. It is desired that the study be prosecuted jointly by the United States through the Corps of Engineers and by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss.

I. Authority. Chapter 165 of the Code of 1930 of the State of Mississippi.

II. Engineering Representative. The Board of Supervisors designates Mr. J. R. Rollins, County Engineer of Hancock County, as its engineering representative in this study.

III. Location map. A map showing the location and limits of the study is attached hereto.

IV. Outline of proposed study. The shore line to be studied is that which is protected by a sea wall about 12 miles long between the mouth of Jordan River in St. Louis Bay to the mouth of Bayou Caddy in Mississippi Sound. The purpose of this study is to determine the best method to be employed for the repair of the existing sea wall, its protection against future damage and to determine what share of the cost of any recommended plan of improvement should be borne by the United States as provided in Public Law 727, 79th Congress, 2nd session. The items of work required to obtain information needed for the study are:

Items	Estimated Cost
1. Drafting	\$600
2. Hydrographic and topographic surveys	900
3. Designs, plans and estimates	1,000
4. Real estate studies	800
5. Consultants and reports	2,000
6. Beach Erosion Board	

expense 300
7. Total \$5,600

V. Previous investigations and reports related to the proposed study. Beach Erosion Study. Hancock County, Miss., dated April 3, 1942, by the Beach Erosion Board.

VI. Extent and method of cooperation. The Board of Supervisors of Hancock County agrees to cooperate in the study as follows:

1. Cash \$1,800
2. Services
 - (a) Hydrographic & Topographic Surveys 700
 - (b) Real Estate Studies 300

Total value of cash and services \$2,800
Accordingly, upon receipt of approval of the application, the Board will deposit with the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, Mobile, Ala., the sum of \$1,800 as its cash contribution to the cost of the study and agrees to perform services as described above.

1 Incl. Map
THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Hancock County, Mississippi
By Ed P. Ortte
President Board Supervisors

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On motion by Supervisor Jones, seconded by Supervisor Lott, that Ed P. Ortte, President of the Board of Supervisors be authorized to sign all necessary applications and draft to comply with the above application for a further study of the Beach Erosion as set out in the foregoing draft. All members of the Board voting yea.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to issue warrant in the sum of \$1800.00 payable out of the Seawall Fund to the order of U. S. Engineers, the said amount being for Hancock County's cash appropriation, for the further study of Beach Erosion.

Be it resolved and ordered that the petition of Supervisor Jones that the County take over the following road or roads in Beat 1, as first set out in Minute Book R. Page 198, meeting of February 1948.

Petition to-wit:

January 28, 1948

Honorable Board of Supervisors
Hancock County

Bay St. Louis, Mississippi

Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned property owners, residents and qualified electors, respectfully petition your Honorable Board to take over, construct and maintain the following used roads in Hancock County, as a part of the public highway system of Hancock County, Mississippi:

Road No. 1

Beginning at a point on Mississippi Highway No. 43 approximately 500 feet South of Dr. Renold's home; thence running in a south easterly direction through the S. 1/4 of Section 16 a distance of 4000 feet to the home of Thornton Brown, said road ending at the above home. The road or strip of land to be 30 feet wide; said road being in Section 16, Township 8, S. Range 16 W.

Road No. 2

Beginning at a point on the Thornton Brown Road approximately 3000 feet from the intersection of said road and Mississippi State Highway No. 43; thence due North 4000 feet to the intersection of a C. C. Road known as the Len Dorsey Road. The above described road or strip of land to be 30 feet wide, said road being in Section 16, Township 8, S. Range 16 W.

Road No. 3

Beginning at a point on Mississippi State Highway No. 43 approximately 800 feet North of Dr. Renold's home; thence in a north easterly direction a distance of 9000 feet, more or less, to the home of Len Dorsey; said road ending at the above home.

The above described road is located in the NW 1/4 of Section 16, and the SE 1/4 of Section 9, and ending in the SW 1/4 of Section 10, said sections being in Township 8, S. Range 16 W.

The above described road to be 30 feet wide.

Respectfully submitted,

B. F. Renolds
T. A. Brown
Len Dorsey
Mrs. Len Dorsey
Mrs. D. T. Reynolds, Sr.
Mrs. T. A. Brown
Mr. Chester H. Slaven
Mrs. Chester H. Slaven
D. T. Reynolds, Sr.
Rufus Dawsey
Mrs. Rufus Dawsey
Mr. George Smith
Mrs. George Smith
Mrs. B. F. Reynolds

Be it ordered by the Board that the above mentioned petition be received, filed, accepted and approved, and that the said roads mentioned hereby ordered to be taken over by the County as part of the County Road System.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk is authorized and directed to issue warrant in the amount of \$200.00 payable to the National Association of County Officials Under Section 2982, Code of 1942, this warrant being payable out of the Advertising Fund.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following Insurance Policies dated February 20, 1948 to expire February 20, 1951 for the Court House Building be paid out of the respective fund.

The Policies to-wit:

Rate Term	Policy
2/20/48-51 No. 201210	U. S. Fire
2/20/48-51 No. 254665	Home F. & M.
2/20/48-51 No. 2731	Home
2/20/48-51 No. 5124	Fidelity-Phenix
2/20/48-51 No. 4397	Aetna

Property	Amount Premium
Court House Bldg	\$10,000.00 \$120.02
Court House Bldg	\$10,000.00 \$129.02
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Court House Bldg 10,000.00 129.02

There came before the Board the matter of the last application of Oswald Moran, Hubert Thigpen and George Smith.

We have examined the triplicate applications and have made full inquiry with reference to the matter and in our opinion this is the triplicate applications delivered to the applicants when they made their applications for Homestead Exemption on January 23rd, 1947. The Clerk is directed to prepare a certified copy of these triplicate applications as required by Section 15 of the Homestead Exemption Act of 1946, prepare a claim against the State Tax Commission for reimbursement and all other such things as may be necessary to comply with the law in connection with lost Homestead Exemption applications.

It is Ordered by the Board that the applications be reinstated, and the Sheriff notified that the applicant be permitted to pay tax on the property covered by these applications at the exempt rate.

There came before the Board the matter of the application of Mrs. Elenora V. Fayard for Homestead Exemption for the year 1947. It appears that exemption was not allowed for the reason that there was no assessment on the Land Roll with the same description as shown on the application.

Lot 60 Fourt Ward of Bay St. Louis is assessed at Page 190 line 25 for \$1100

Lot 60 Fourth Ward of Bay St. Louis is assessed at Page 190 Line 31 for \$200

Lot 64 Fourth Ward of Bay St. Louis is assessed at Page 190 Line 32 for \$50

Lot 62 Fourth Ward of Bay St. Louis is assessed at Page 190 Line 30 for \$200

Mrs. Fayard made a subdivision of Lots 60, 63 and 64 Fourth Ward and the plat is on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, showing these original three lots are not 26 lots numbered consecutively from one to twenty six.

Mrs. Fayard actually applied on 11 of this property except lots 1 to 11 of Mrs. John Fayard's subdivision of Lots 60, 63 and 64 and is entitled to exemption thereon.

It is therefore ordered by the Board that the assessment on the 1946-47 Land Roll be made to read as follows:

Lots 1 to 11 Mrs. John Fayard's Subdivision of Lots 60, 63 and 64 land only \$100.00 which is not subject to exemption.

Lots 12 to 21 and Lots 23 to 26 Mrs. J. Fayard's Subdivision land \$1150 Imp. 100.00 total \$1250.00 which is eligible for exemption.

Lot 62 Fourth Ward assessed at Page 190 Line 30 land only \$200.00 to remain as it is assessed, and on the 12th of March, 1948, be entitled to exemption and on which she applied.

It is Therefore Ordered by the Board that the applicant be permitted to pay her taxes at the exempt rate on the corrected assessment set above, and that the Clerk prepare an additional Supplement to the Roll and claim reimbursement from the State Tax Commission, and that he furnish the Commission with a certified copy of this order reinstating that application of Mrs. Elenora V. Fayard for the year 1947.

Be it Ordered by the Board that the Board recess until Wednesday morning March 17, 1948.

ED P. ORTTE
President Board of Supervisors.

Wednesday Morning, March 17, 1948. The Board met pursuant to recess.

There were present as on Friday, March 12, 1948.

Be it Ordered by the Board that Claim No. 1457 for the amount of \$782.40 payable out of the Road & Bridge, Emergency Fund, be held over and not allowed until further orders from this Board.

Be it Ordered by the Board that due to the fact that there were no bids received in accordance with order placed on Minutes of the Board of Supervisors, Hancock County, at their regular December meeting, 1947, Minute Book R. Page 182. Therefore be it ordered by the Board that notice is given to all Banks in Hancock County and adjoining Counties by publication to be had in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper with a general circulation in Hancock County, that bids will be received from said banks on or before Monday, May 3rd, 1948, for the privilege of keeping the County funds and for funds collected by the Sheriff and Tax Collector and other public funds and that said notice shall be given pursuant to section 9145 and 9146 of the Code of 1942, and that copies of the minutes shall be mailed in the month of March to each and every bank in the adjoining counties. The said notice provided that the bids of said banks bidding for the privilege of keeping said funds of said County shall be received at the May 1948, meeting of said Board and must be on file by 11:00 o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 3rd, 1948.

Be it Ordered by the Board, pursuant to Chapter 4262, Mississippi Code 1942, that Doctor M. J. Wolfe is hereby appointed Jail Physician at a salary of \$25.00 per month, beginning April 1st, 1948 and to cease at the will of the Board.

Be it Ordered by the Board that the Board recess until Saturday morning, March 20, 1948, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

ED P. ORTTE
President Board of Supervisors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Saturday morning, March 20, 1948, the Board met pursuant to recess.

There were present Supervisor Shaw, Supervisor Lott, Supervisor Keller, B. D. Johnson, Sheriff A. C. Mitchell, Clerk Supervisor Jones and Supervisor Ortte were excused.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following named persons as recommended by the Tax Assessor be appointed and are hereby appointed as Field Deputies to compile real and personal assessment for the year of 1948.

The following named persons, Beats and salaries to-wit:

Beat	Salary
Beat No. 1, Eddie Martin	\$125.00
Beat No. 2, Charlie Mitchell	\$125.00
Beat No. 3, Henry Harriel	\$125.00
Beat No. 4, Lester Seals	\$150.00
Beat No. 5, J. C. Roland Jr.	\$300.00

Be it ordered by the Board that pursuant to Chapter 18 M, Homestead Exemption Act 1946, that the Board employ George E. Heitzmann to collect and assemble data or to perform other services as may be necessary and proper and as directed by the Board, and to make investigations required in connection with the duty of the Board in determining the eligibility of homestead exemptions, and the board is hereby authorized to pay for such services out of the general county fund, at a salary of \$150.00 per month and his services to cease at the will of the board.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board recess until Wednesday March 24, 1948.

J. S. SHAW, Pro Tem
President Board of Supervisors

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Wednesday morning, March 24, 1948, the Board met pursuant to recess.

There were present, Supervisor Ortte, Supervisor Shaw, Supervisor Lott, Supervisor Keller, Supervisor Jones was absent and excused. Also present were A. C. Mitchell, Clerk and B. D. Johnson Sheriff.

In regard to regular July meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County 1947 Minute Book R. Page 126.

Whereas, said advertisement was had in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper with a general circulation in Hancock County, as per proof of publication on file in the office of the Clerk of said Board, and the Board having received the bid of Forrest Necaise in the sum of \$300.00 for said timber with the right to remove the same within a period of three years and the Board having considered the said bid as submitted, it is

Therefore Ordered by the Board that the bid of Forrest Necaise in the sum of \$300.00 for all standing timber 8 inches and up, 12 inches from the ground, and located on Section 16, Township 5, South of Range 15 West, in Hancock County, be and the same is hereby accepted.

It is further ordered by the Board that Ed. P. Ortte, President of this Board be and he is hereby authorized to sign a deed for and on behalf of Hancock County, Forrest Necaise for all timber located on Section 16, Township 5, South of Range 15 West in Hancock County, 8 inches and up, 12 inches from the ground.

Be it Ordered by the Board that the following pro-rata of 1947 Poll Tax Fund be prorated out of the Poll Tax Fund and be it ordered that the Clerk is ordered, and directed to issue warrant out of the Poll Tax Fund and payable to-wit:

The Common School 55% \$3080.00
City of Bay St. Louis 40% \$2240.00
Town of Waveland 5% \$280.00

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board orders and directs the Clerk of this Board to transfer from the Common School Fund and pay into the Sellers Veteran Training Fund the sum of \$395.31 in order to correct receipt warrant number 5915. This amount was deposited to the account of the Public School Fund and should have been deposited to the Sellers Veteran Training Fund.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until the Board shall meet in due course.

ED. P. ORTTE
President Board of Supervisors.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk of this Board is ordered and directed to issue Warrant on Kiln Veteran Training Fund and payable to Sellers Veteran Training Fund for the sum of \$960.00 in order to correct receipt warrant number 5922, dated February 11, 1948. This amount of \$960.00 was deposited in the Kiln Veteran Training Fund and should have been deposited in the Sellers Veteran Training Fund.

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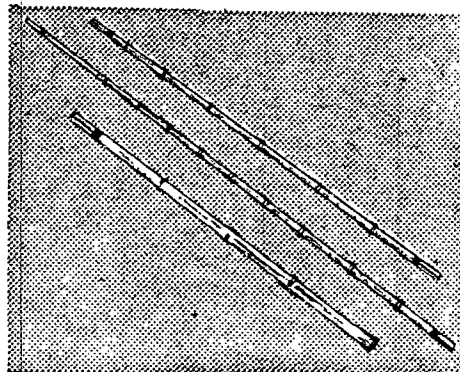
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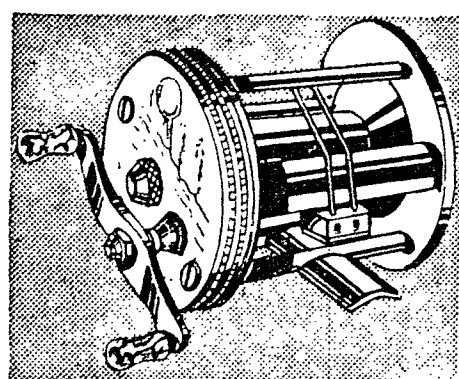
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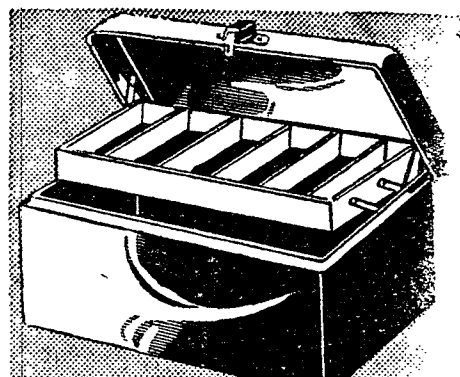
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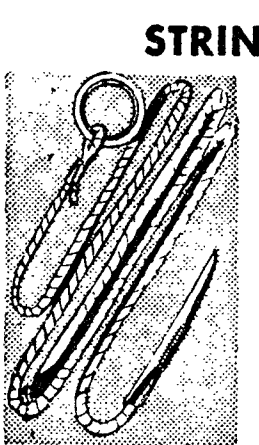
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you advertised last week, about his social security standing? To that particular man perhaps it didn't make any difference that he was fully covered by Social Security insurance for three years after discharge from the service, giving him a chance to establish his own Social

Curtailed Passenger Train Service Will Effect Mail Delivery

Only One Distribution and Delivery—No Mail To Be Received After Train No. 4, at 10:15 A. M.

Postmaster Leo G. Ford advises us that effective March 22, 1948, due to the coal strike, curtailing passenger train service, the following changes in the mail schedules of Bay St. Louis will be in effect:

Train No. 7 which ordinarily arrives at Bay St. Louis at 2:15 p. m. will not handle mail during this emergency.

Train No. 10 which ordinarily arrives in Bay St. Louis at 5:15 P. M. has been set back in its time of arrival so that the mail arriving on this train will not be worked up until the following day, however dispatches of mail from Bay St. Louis will go out on this train.

The schedules of the other trains will all remain the same and to sum up this situation briefly all of the mail received in Bay St. Louis will be put up in both the boxes and city and rural deliveries in the mornings. After train No. 4 which arrives at 10:15 a. m. there will be no receipt of mail until the following day.

Due to the large volume of mail that will be handled in the mornings the carrier will not be able to leave on time and will be a few minutes late in the delivery of mail. Postmaster Ford states that every effort will be made to have the mail delivered as promptly as possible.

Security account, but if that is the case, he is the exception. Most discharged soldiers are vitally interested in information like that.

And here's something else; do you realize that a clerical error could drastically reduce or completely eliminate the benefits earned under the act? That if such an error is not corrected within four years, nothing can be done to remedy the mistake? Thus it is absolutely essential that an account be checked at least once every four years by writing the Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Maryland, and requesting a statement of account.

First Baptist Church

Sermon Topics for Sunday, April 4, 1948:

(This is the first day of the revival which will be held each day through Sunday, April 11.)

Morning: "The Religious Highway to Hell."

Evening: "The Way That Doesn't Seem Right That Leads To Heaven."

ORTTE THEATRE SUNDAY - MONDAY "THE SENATOR WAS INDISCREET"

Starring William Powell and Ella Raines

Climaxing a series of roles ranging from wives of convicts to society heiresses, Ella Raines plays a newspaperwoman in her latest picture. This picture is "The Senator Was Indiscreet," a new Universal-International picture. It stars William Powell in the title characterization and comes to the Ortte Theatre on Sunday and Monday. The film was produced by Nunnally Johnson, directed by George S. Kaufman and written for the screen by Charles MacArthur from Edwin Lanham's story. Peter Lind Hayes and Arleen Whelan are prominently cast.

Ella Raines is one of the busiest actresses on the modern screen. Her versatility is pronounced. Her exhaustive training in dramatics fits her for almost all varieties of youthful leading roles. Photographically, she is so well balanced that it is virtually impossible to restrict her to any certain "type." She is, therefore, constantly in demand by producers for important roles. Her recent picture appearances in "Time Out of Mind," "The Web," "Brute Force" and now, "The Senator Was Indiscreet," were made with virtually no vacation time between pictures.

An actress who has played nothing but leading roles, both in her stage drama work at the University of Washington and in her screen career, Miss Raines has acted with some of Hollywood's most versatile masculine stars. Among them have been Franchot Tone, Charles Laughton, George Sanders, Vincent Price, Eddie Bracken, Edmond O'Brien, Dan Duryea and William Powell. Playing numerous scenes with these men has done much to give the actress her sure command of style. In "The Senator Was Indiscreet," Miss Raines plays a newspaper writer who opposes the grandiloquent Senator Melvin Ashton, acted by Powell, when she seeks the presidential nomination on a ridiculous platform. Peter Lind Hayes, a political press agent and Miss Raines' boy friend in the film, aids the legislator in his campaign. The climax of the film nears when the senator's diary, containing political party secrets, disappears.

RED CROSS NOTES

Mrs. A. D. Drescher, chairman of the Junior Red Cross, announced that Easter favors and nut cups for the tables and trays, have been sent to Veterans' Hospital in Gulfport. These favors and nut cups were made by students of St. Joseph Academy and those of St. Rose de Lima.

Mrs. Drescher also stated that this work closes Junior Red Cross activities for the current year, of all county and Bay St. Louis schools.

An appeal is being made for old felt hats, old silk hose and "Funny Books" that are in readable condition.

The felt hats and hose are used in Physical Therapy work, at the Veterans' Hospital and the funny books will be placed in the hospital library where all veterans may enjoy them.

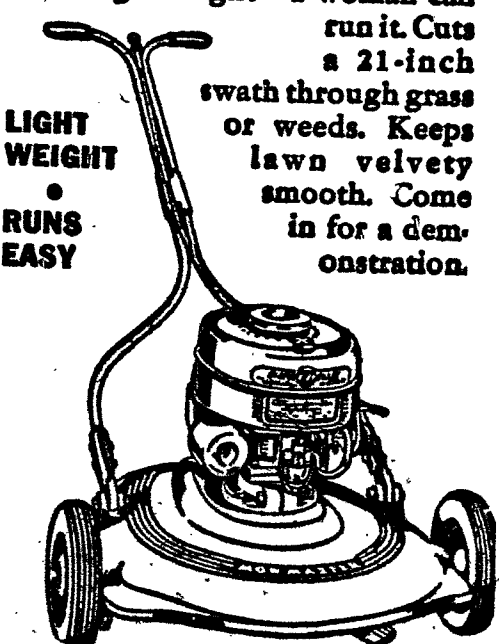
If you have any or all of the above mentioned articles, kindly phone Mrs. A. D. Drescher, Phone 440-J.

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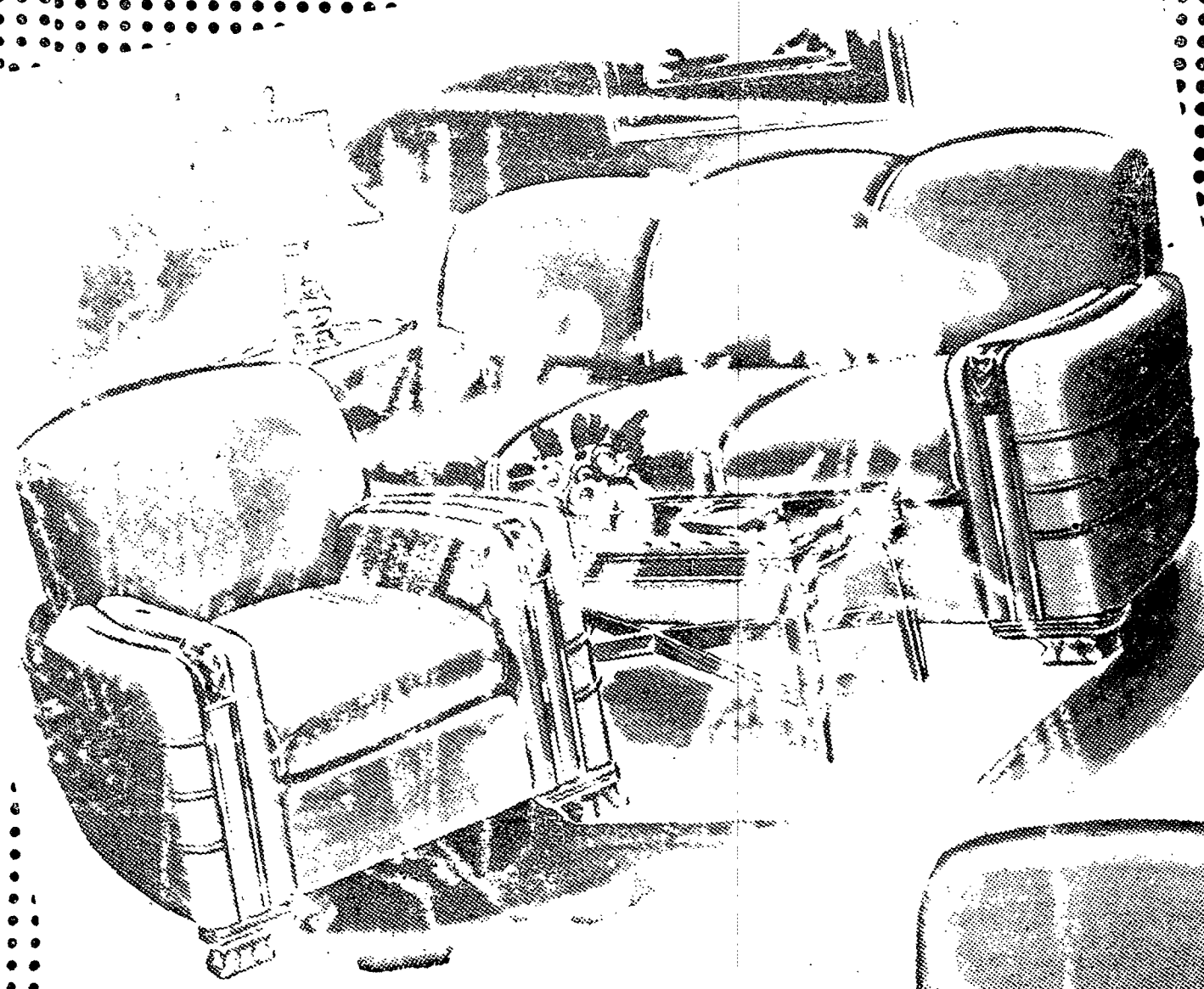
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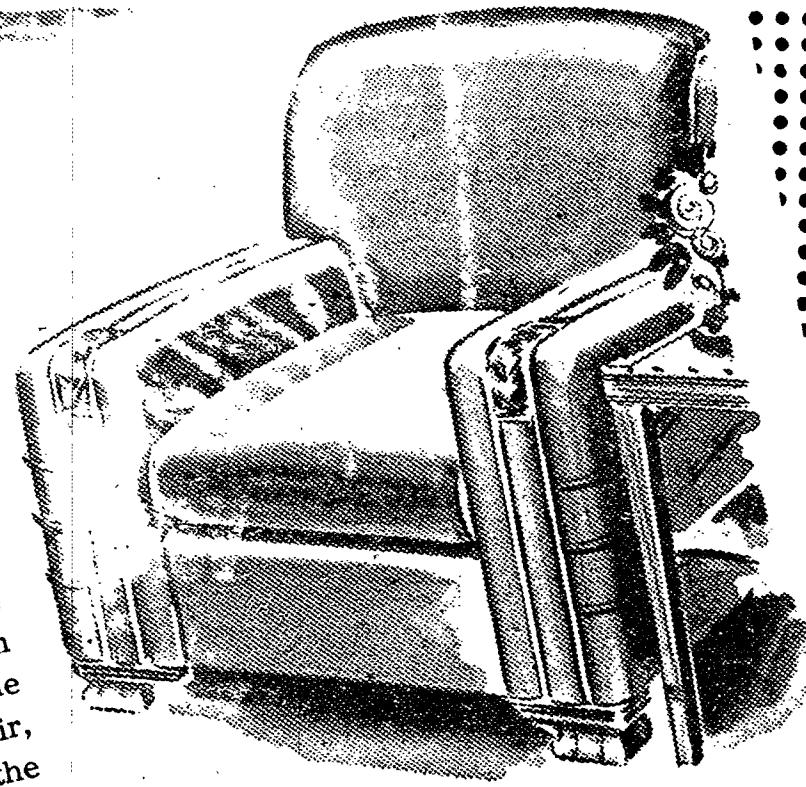
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LOCAL SPORT NEWS

By WAYNE ALLISTON

BAY HI FOOTBALLERS IN SPRING DRILLS

Tigers Open '48 Season With Stanislaus

Twenty-five Bay Hi football hopefuls are hard at work under Coach Ellis Guillory in spring workouts designed to teach the fundamentals of the game, so they will be ready next September to step right into heavy drills.

Coach Guillory has six returning lettermen as a nucleus, with several veteran reserves and six members of last year's junior team. With a light but fast team, one of the big worries is the right tackle position with several green hands fighting for the berth.

The highlights of next year's season will be on September 18, when the Tigers and Rockchaws clash. Other new teams on the Bay High schedule are S. J. Peters High of New Orleans and tentative games at present with Hattiesburg Demonstration and Wiggins.

Lettermen from last year reporting for practice are Pete Walker, Lawrence LaFontaine, Billy McLain, Clyde Favre, Curtis Colson and Truman Schultz.

Others out for the drills are Delbert Zengaring, Emanuel Von Lubbe, Teddy Morel, Rudy Morel, Delmar Dawsey, Burt Johnston, Minard Hillhouse, Milton Smith, Billy Ray Bennett, John Phillips, George Ladner, Herman Price, Donald Bonnacore, Bobby Walker, Tommy January, Irving Prevost, Harry Miles, John Vaughn and Martin Noto.

on the gridiron next Sept. 18. The boxing show held March 1 was a success, with the people showing they were ready for a resumption of athletic activities between the schools. The fine sportsmanship of the student bodies and townspeople called for this football game. Wing lose or draw it should furnish thrills galore.

Still not too late to get the farmer around your favorite quail hunting ground to plant a few rows of peas or bi-color lespedeza along the fence for the birds winter food. Furnish him the seed and a little help and he will be glad to plant it and not gather the crop.

The Easter cool spell slowed fishing down a bit, but bluegills, perch and green trout were beginning to bite.

FIELD DAY IMPORTANT TO YOUNGSTERS

The field and track meet here next Thursday is a fine thing for youngsters in county schools. They train hard for the one day, and it gives them a sense of values attached to keen competition. All students, large and small, have opportunity to take part in the events. Forster Commagere is to be congratulated for the time and effort put on this program.

RE THE INDEPENDENT TOURNAMENT

The gentlemen putting on the basketball tournament have already been rewarded for their time and energy. The oxygen tent, ordered ahead of the tournament because these men—mentioned last week—felt it was a worthy cause has already been put to use. An endeavor like this deserves our wholehearted support.

Drippings From The Gravy Bowl.

IS THIS A RECORD

On February 7th of this year, Frank Williams of Jackson caught a large mouth black bass weighing 11 lbs. 4 ounces (that's right, brother) in Lake Advance near Edwards in Hinds County. The fish was weighed four hours after being landed, and as far as I am concerned, it sets a record. Mr. Williams was using a minnow for live bait when he hooked the monster.

GOLDEN EAGLE TRAPPED IN STATE

The Leaf River Refuge of the Game and Fish Commission furnished a real oddity for this section of the country when a Golden Eagle, native to the Rocky Mountain Area of the West, was trapped there recently.

The eagle attacked a bob cat caught in a trap but was driven off. The next day a buzzard was caught and was devoured by the huge bird. The trap was reset and Mr. Eagle ventured into it himself and was promptly caught. Not being injured, he was presented to the Jackson Zoo. His wing spread was seven feet from tip to tip.

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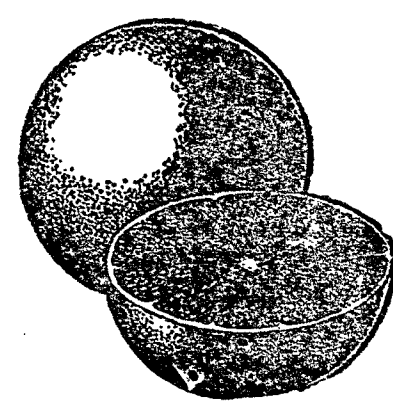
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MEAT, 1/2 can 14c

Armour
TREET, 12 oz. 49c

Swift
PREM, 12 oz. can 49c

Star Potted
MEAT, 1/4 can 3-25c

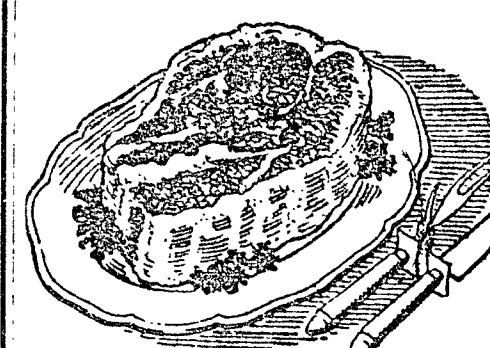
Star Lunch
TONGUE, 6 oz. can 29c

Star Vienna, 4 oz. can
SAUSAGE 2-35c

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Nokandu, internationally famous magician, amazed a crowd of some five hundred spectators with his feats of magic in the St. Stanislaus Gym the night of March the eighteenth.

Many of Nokandu's tricks left the audience gasping at his skill. Great bursts of applause followed each trick.

The feature attraction of the night was Nokandu's amazing triple escape stunt. The magician's hands were first chained; he was then tied in a large bag, and finally nailed inside a large wooden box. A screen was then placed in front of the box. About forty-five seconds later

the screen was removed to reveal Nokandu sitting on top of the box, completely free of chains and bag.

Nokandu's humorous quips kept the audience in a jovial mood.

The St. Stanislaus orchestra under the direction of Brother Romuald provided music for the night's entertainment.

The entire proceeds from the show were given to the Missions conducted by the Brothers of the Sacred Heart in Africa.

For the success of his performance, Nokandu, who is none other than Brother Briant, wishes to express his thanks to the following: Brother Romuald and the boys of the orchestra, Brothers Linus, Reginald, Fidelis, Sidney and Walter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Jacobs of Rex Magic Shop, New Orleans and Mr. Rawe.

**British Commander and
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Commander A. D. B. Jones of the Royal Navy and Lady Nanette Evelyn Gregory, who were recently married in England, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, at their home in Waveland. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will meet them upon their arrival in New York, and drive back through the mountainous country of Virginia and the Carolinas.

Commander Jones was in command of a destroyer flotilla and saw much action in the Mediterranean. He is now captain of H. M. S. Bermuda, which is being fitted at the Chatham Naval Yard.

**Legion Baseball Assured
For Bay St. Louis**

Bay St. Louis will be represented in American Legion Baseball Circles this year when the season gets underway next month.

Coach Forster Commagere has eighteen youngsters on his squad at present, with several more expected.

Those reporting for workouts are Anthony Pitalo, A. J. Luc, J. V. Morreale, Chas. Ladner, Dan Vigue, A. J. Chiniche, Edward Dupiquier, Walter Turcotte, Levi Ladner, Charles Carter, Roger Heitzmann, Jr., Fred Cabell, Henry Capdepon, Jr., Clem Bontemps, Bruce Favre, Andre Arceneaux John Weston, Donald Mathis.

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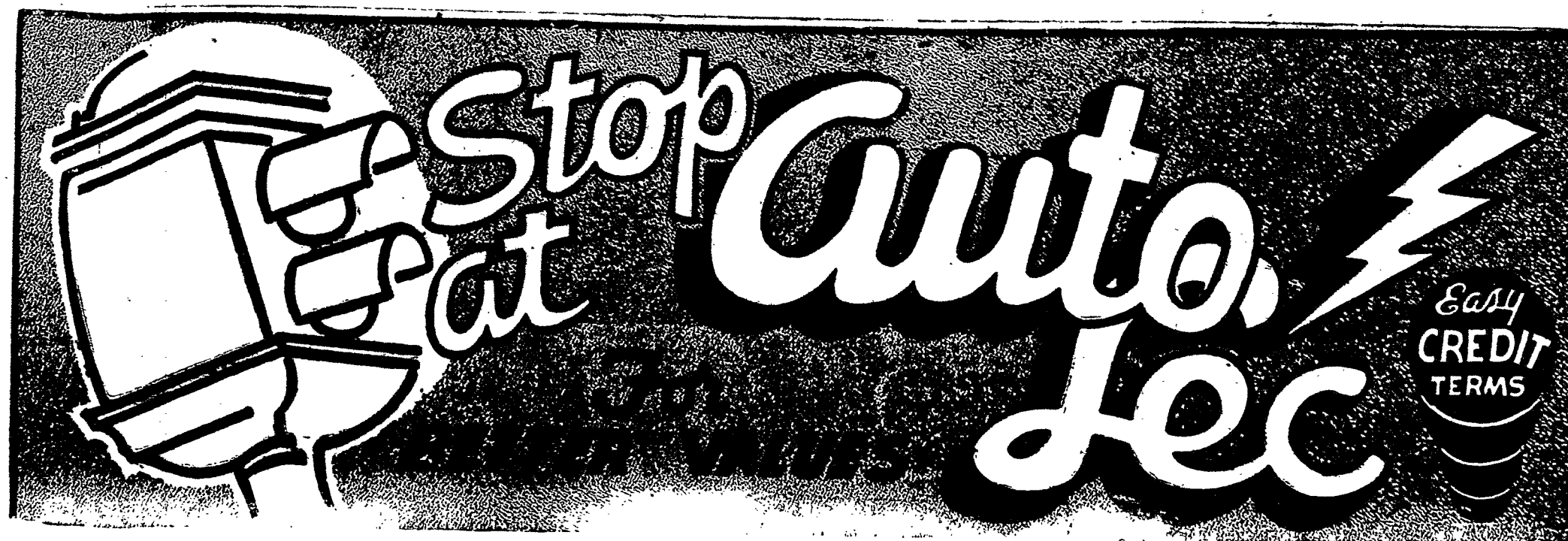
Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Leon B. Capdepon, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1948, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

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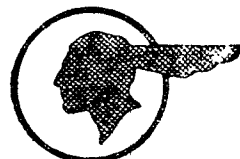
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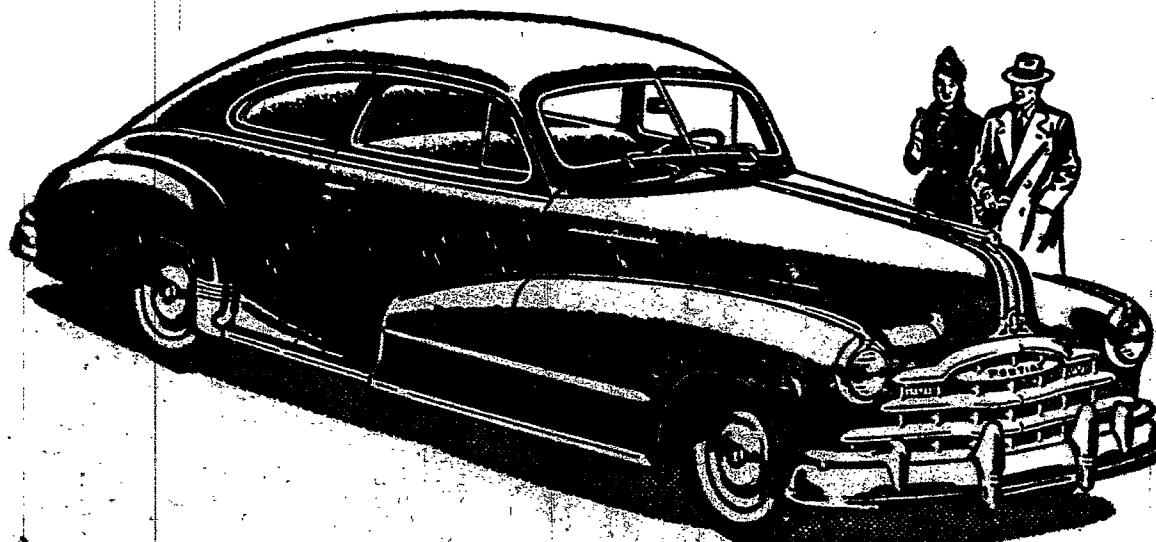
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**License Income Amounted
To \$460,000**

The fiscal year 1947, ending June 30, 1947, saw the Game and Fish Commission have its most prosperous year to date when a total of \$513,000 was put into the coffers from all sources of revenue. License income amounted to \$460,000. Of this amount \$363,000 was expended by the Commission to carry on the various phases of its program.

Game and fish released by the commission for restocking purposes during the same period amounted to slightly more than \$44,000.

According to R. M. Freeman, Director of Conservation, more than 175,000 acres of game refuges are maintained by the commission, many of which are beginning to furnish game and fish for restocking purposes in other parts of the state.

Mr. Freeman also states that an enlarged educational program is being planned with an increase of material for schools, clubs, and individuals.

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News Of Our Colored People

GENEVIEVE HARRISON, REPORTER

—Mrs. Helen Lytle of Detroit, Michigan, has been visiting her father Tom Lelong.

—The relatives of Mrs. Mary Lee have not set the date of her burial due to the expected arrival of her nephew Roy O'Neil who is with the Armed forces in Belgium.

—Nettie Smith, Betty Fairconeture, Clara Mae Patterson, Mrs. A. Spann, and Mrs. Bibbs, Mary Francis Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnson, Mr. and Harry Daniels were among the Easter visitors.

—Helen Reed and Dorothy Mae Patterson presented the V. C. Jones Church school children in an interesting and inspiring Easter Program, Sunday night.

—Mrs. Genevieve Harrison attended the Mississippi Association of Teachers in Colored Schools held in Jackson, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week.

—Mildred Longmire, teacher of Home Economics spent the Easter week end with relatives and friends in Forrest.

—The Valena C. Jones Church School gave an Easter Egg Hunt on the church grounds Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnson of Biloxi spent Easter Sunday with their relatives Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nichols.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown at the death of our beloved Jerry Huff who died March 22, 1948. Special thanks to Rev. S. S. Barnett, the Fahey Funeral Home and to the following persons who bestowed many kindnesses upon the deceased during his prolonged illness: Dr. B. F. Floyd, Dr. W. W. Lake, Mrs. W. I. Bourgeois, Mr. and Mrs. LeTisser, Mr. Alvin Weinberg, Mrs. P. Boudin and members of the Valena C. Jones Methodist Church.

All have our everlasting gratitude. (Signed) (Mrs.) Sarah Huff and Family.

BOATS

35 ft. Cabin Cruiser	5500.00
21 ft. Deluxe Runabout	3000.00
18 ft. "Correct Craft"	1850.00
16 ft. "Correct Craft"	475.00
14 ft. Higgins Outboard	360.00
13 1/2 ft. Mahogany Skiff	160.00
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CHAS. A. BREATH JR.

How A Farmer Can Make Money From His Timber

By ROLAND WESTON

The first and foremost step in growing timber is to keep fire off the land. Every acre of land in the South will grow timber, sooner or later, if it is protected from fire. If there are few or no seed trees on the land, seed will be blown in from adjoining land.

Sometimes though the land is so barren that planting trees is the quickest way of setting a forest started. In this section if the baby tree are placed 8 feet by 8 feet there will be 680 trees per acre, if the spacing is 6 ft. by 8 ft. there will be 900 trees per acre.

Tree planted in old fields, if protected from fire, frequently are large enough to be thinned for pulpwood when they are about 15 years old. An annual growth of 1 to 2 cords per acre can be looked for, depending on the soil, care of trees, and location of planting.

A farmer should always see his County Agent or Extension Forester

for information as to how to secure the seedlings and plant them.

EARLY THINNING'S HELP

Pines, like cotton or corn, do best if properly spaced. A stand of young trees need thinning as soon as the top branches begin to touch each other. After thinning, there will be a space of sunshine around each tree, very dense stands should be thinned where the trees are 12 to 15 feet tall.

There are no markets for trees smaller than 6 inches which are removed at the first thinning but those left will grow to pulpwood size 7 or 8 years sooner.

It is not wasteful to cut high stumps at the first thinning because the trees are too little to be used, but in any commercial cutting the stumps should be cut as low as possible.

If the 2 and 3 inch trees are left for 8 feet apart they will grow to pulpwood size before another thinning is needed.

To avoid insect damage, thin only

in winter.

To secure bean poles or bay poles for farm use cut them by thinning your timber.

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When the trees reach 8 inches or

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Potato Forks, 98c; Shovels, 50c to \$1.75. Cheap prices on other garden tools. New Books, \$5.95; Used Books, \$2.75. Citizens Trade Mart, 402 Citizen Street. 421chg.

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Electric Stove, Good condition; 4 Straight Chairs; 2 Rockers; 2 Wool Rugs. Citizens Trade Mart, 402 Citizen St. 421chg.

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more in diameter and the tops are crowded again another thinning is necessary. The trees now removed should be of pulpwood size.

TYPE OF TREES

To Thin Out: Crooked, diseased, forked, crowded, worked out for turpentine.

To Leave: Straight, healthy, clear, well formed, fast growing.

HOW FAR APART TO LEAVE THE TREES

For desired spacing in feet of trees left add 4 to the number of inches which the diameter of the tree measures at mast height.

Example: For a 5 inch tree add 4 to 5, equals 9; so 5 inch trees should be spaced about 9 feet apart. Likewise 7 inch trees should be 11 feet apart, and so on.

Fewer trees per acre with plenty of growing space give greater returns than a large number.

SELECTIVE CUTTING

Selective cutting of timber is like a savings account or as I have said in a previous article, like milking the old cow. A portion of the timber may be drawn on when needed and the rest continues to bear interest in the form of growth.

Select from 25% to 35% of the trees for cutting and mark with whitewash or an axe for cutting. By doing this you can cut your timber every few years perpetually.

Cutting all the marked trees for one product rarely gives the farmer the most cash. Usually the tallest, straightest trees bring the most money for poles, the next best quality for sawlogs, and the rest for pulpwood.

A farmer by selling tree products received the following money:

6 poles at 60c \$3.60
8 trees 750 BF at \$12.00 96.00
per M Bc ft. 9.00
40 trees—4 cords pulpwood plus 12 cord from tops of sawlogs and poles at 2.00 9.00
Total per acre \$21.60

If cut for sawlogs only at 12.00 per M Bc ft. 48.00
6 pole trees, 385 Bc ft. 4.26
8 saw logs, 750 Bc ft. 8.52
6 of the 40 pulpwood trees 6.00

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If cut for pulpwood only at \$2.00

per cord 20

6 pole trees, 1210 cord 2.40

8 saw log trees, 2 cords 4.00

40 pulpwood trees, 4 cords 8.00

Total per acre \$14.40

CONTINUOUS PRODUCTION

After one or two selective cuttings, depending on the number of trees removed, the remaining trees will begin to reseed the ground. If protected from fire, these little trees, that the farmer started with on his land, are cut, the trees that have started from seed will be large enough to thin for pulpwood. By a farmer cutting his timber this way he will always have timber to cut and will leave a stand of timber for his family.

When cutting selectively always cut poles first, then sawlogs, and finish up with pulpwood. In this way the tops of the poles and sawlogs can be used for pulpwood.

A wise farmer always sells his timber by actual measure, and not by jump sum.

Small logs do not bring as high prices as large logs. Ten 9 inch logs have about the same volume as one 20 inch log, by the Doyle Scale. You can grow 20 inch logs faster by frequent thinning.

Log rules (for 16 ft. logs measured inside bark)
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Wit Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake and Larry Simms

Besides being the most durable and best-loved series in motion picture history, Columbia's "Blondie" pictures have served as a showcase for many famous Hollywood personalities. "Blondie in the Dough," boasts Hugh Herbert, master of "woo-woos," fun, as "guest star."

Herbert, in lending his mirthful personality to film's most famous family—Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake, Larry Simms, Marjorie Kent and Daisy—joins such famous stars as Rita Hayworth, Glenn Ford, Peggy Ann Garner, Larry Parks and Janet Blair, all of whom are "Blondie" alumni.

Already announced to appear in the next Bumstead misadventure is Adele Jergens, the beautiful "Eye-Ful" who was featured in "When a Girl is Beautiful" and "The Corpse Came C. O. D." Miss Jergens will play "the other woman" in "Blondie's Anniversary."

Jerome Cowan, another familiar screen personality, has an important role in "Blondie in the Dough," but he can't be considered a guest, having permanently adopted the role of Dagwood's harassed employer. But Clarence Kolb, popular character actor, is a newcomer to the series and does a pompously perfect job as J. T. Thorpe, radio station owner who is so plagued by Dagwood's antics that he insists upon his being fired before he will award Dagwood's firm an important contract.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To George Sears, Jr.

General Delivery, Eutaw, Alabama
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1948, to defend the suit No. 5433 in said Court of Victoria Sears, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 27th day of March, A. D. 1948.
(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL
Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of William T. Moon, Deceased

Letters of administration on the Estate of William T. Moon, deceased, was granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 25 day of March, 1948, and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate, to present and have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within Six Months from this date, and failure to probate and register same in Six Months will bar the claim.

This 27th day of March, A. D. 1948.
CHARLES F. MOON
Executor.

—THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS THE MEANS OF DEVELOPING HANCOCK COUNTY. JOIN IT TODAY.

Waveland News

The pupils of the first and second grades enjoyed an Easter Egg hunt and party given by their teacher Miss Mary Margaret Turcotte on the school lawn.

Ann Taft won the first prize for having the largest number of eggs.

One of the prettiest gardens in this section is that of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walsdorf on Coleman Avenue.

The garden is a myriad profusion of enchanting color surrounded by beautiful brick walls in full bloom in an exquisite color of white.

The general scene is enriched by pink azaleas blooming in the center of the garden. This color is offset by the striking brilliance of rays from the sunball on a cement pedestal to the left of the garden.

There is also a beautiful shrine erected in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary which lends an air of solemnity and grace to the picturesque setting.

Mr. and Mrs. Walsdorf have received many compliments on their beautiful garden and of this spot. It may truly be said "that a thing of beauty is a joy forever."

Mrs. B. F. Floyd has returned from Jacksonville, Florida, where she visited her son, a young naval officer who is now stationed at Trinidad. She reports having had a pleasant vacation but was glad to get back to the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Angelle spent the week end at their home in Waveland Park.

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and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Kafoed and young son spent the Easter Holidays at their summer home on Coleman Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts of Port Huron, Michigan have taken possession of their summer home on Bourgeois Street where they intend to reside permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Schwander and family spent the week end as the guests of Mrs. Schwander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Turcotte and family.

Mr. Engene Calongne entertained a number of young people at the summer home of his parents.

Miss Betty Herlihy has returned to "Ole Miss" where she is a student after spending her Easter holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herlihy. Miss Herlihy had as her guest on Sunday Miss Patsy Fayard of Biloxi, who is also a student at Ole Miss.

Mrs. M. McCortley has purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Placide Bourgeois.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rester were over the week end and entertained a number of friends at their home.

Miss Josie Rooney and Miss Katherine Kenny spent the week end at the Kenny Cottage on Soubal Blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Glacier and baby son Michael, Jr., were over for the week end.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mrs. Amanda von G. Gex, deceased were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on March 10th, 1948, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This 10th day of March, A. D. 1948.
W. J. GEX, JR. & ETHEL H. GEX,
Executors of the Estate of Mrs. Amanda von G. Gex, Deceased.

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Sylvan Ladner who are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born on Friday in the Baptist Hospital in New Orleans. The young lady weighed seven pounds, six ounces and will be named Mary Toni.

Mrs. Ladner is the former Miss Mary Helen Bourgeois.

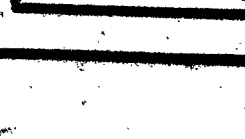
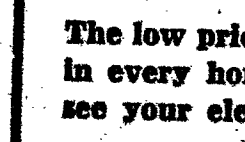
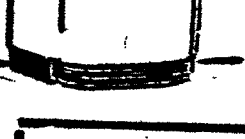
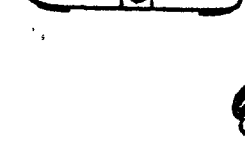
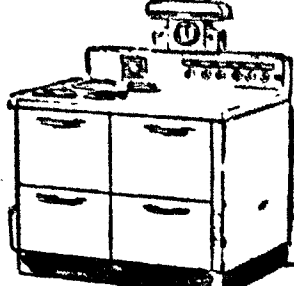
Little Miss Kathleen Herlihy's classmates hope that she will soon be well enough to be back at school.

Kathleen has been ill but is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Harry Zimmermann wishes to thank everyone for all the lovely cards, flowers, candies and other gifts that they sent her while in the hospital. Mrs. Zimmermann is still in the hospital but is improving and she certainly expects to hear from her many friends.



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Clermont Harbor And Lakeshore News

Miss Carol Callico spent the Easter holidays in New Orleans with her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Otnott.

Misses Betty Peterson and Regina Smith returned Monday afternoon from St. James, La. They visited Mrs. I. C. Williams for the Easter holidays and had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ladner had a full house for the Easter holidays. Visiting them were Mrs. Ethel Ladner and son, Sylvester; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ladner, their daughter, Mary, and son Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Ladner and family and Mr. Henry Monier.

The Blue Jean Club held their monthly meeting, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alice Agre-gard on Clermont Blvd. The club has a penalty box, if the worst word is mentioned the penalty is five cents, however there is a cheaper rate of six for a quarter. Some of the members took advantage of the bargain and the kitty is considerably larger. After the meeting adjourned refreshments were served.

Mrs. Tom Hill and Mrs. George Ceevy from New Orleans spent Wednesday with Mrs. Rae Cope on Clermont Boulevard. They attended the meeting of the Blue Jean Club in the afternoon.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Elliott who are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, Patricia Elaine. The grandparents are as proud as can be, too. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Elliott are grandparents for the sixth time and that isn't anything new to them. However, it is different with Mr. and Mrs. Ed P. Ortte, this is their first grandchild. Mr. Ortte has already ordered new suits made with larger chest measurements.

Mr. and Mrs. Simms were over



for the week end getting their summer cottage on Forrest avenue ready for the summer.

Mrs. L. J. Kern, Sr., and grandson, Larry Boy, are over for a week. Mrs. Kern is busy fixing her new home on Forrest Avenue, which she hopes to occupy some time in May.

The New Orleans folks over for the Easter holidays were: The Columbo family and friends; the Broussard family; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carr and friends; Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Nungesser and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Planchard and sons; Mr. and Mrs. J. Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. August Martin, Jr. and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemens and family were over for the week end. Mr. Clemens is associated with the Times-Picayune in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Soujon and family spent Easter Sunday in Bay St. Louis, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willie Green.

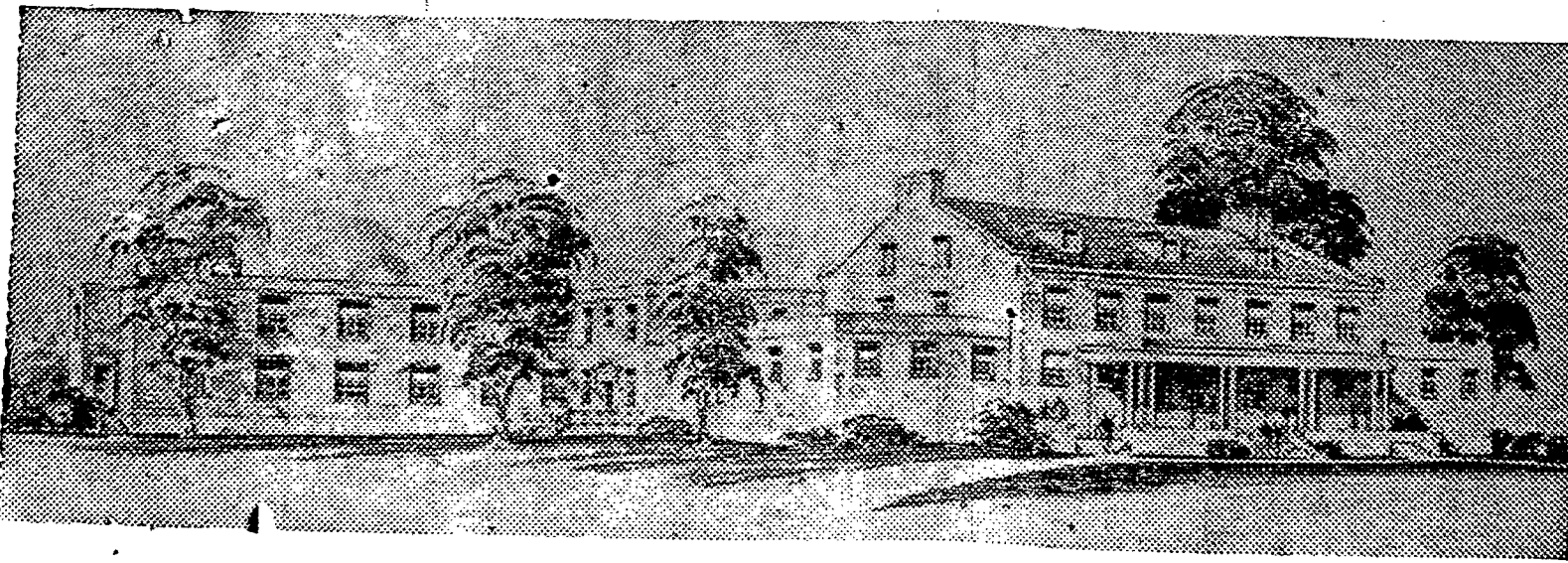
Mrs. Joe Martin is ill, hope she is better in a few days.

Robert Perkins was unable to walk for a few days, because of an infected foot.

Lakeshore Home Demonstration Club Meets

The Lakeshore Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Rufus Luxich on March 10th, with

100th Anniversary Gift To Ole Miss



Shown above is the architect's perspective of the proposed Alumni Building to be erected on the Ole Miss campus as a gift from the Alumni on the occasion of the 100th Anniversary of the University, which first opened its doors in 1848. Plans for raising the necessary funds to construct the Alumni Building are being carried out under the direction of the officers and members of the Steering Committee of the Ole Miss Alumni Association. The Alumni Building will provide recreational, housing and administrative facilities for the Alumni and visitors to the University campus. R. W. Naeff is the architect.

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County Public Schools To Have Field Meet On Thursday Apr. 8th

The big day when all public schools in Hancock County get together and fight for top honors on the athletic field will be next Thursday, April 8th, the Annual County field and track events day.

Miss Annie Lois May, County Home Demonstration agent presiding in the absence of the President and Vice President.

Mrs. William Spence and Mrs. John Necaize were elected program leaders. The demonstration consisted of garden planting which was demonstrated by Miss May. Devotional and songs were part of the program. Following the demonstration and business session a recreational hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

The next meeting of the Club will be held on the Second Monday of April at the home of Mrs. William Spence. The subject for demonstration will be "Simple Sewing."

Those present at the meeting were Mrs. John Necaize, Mrs. Harry Stone, Mrs. Rufus Luxich, Mrs. John Erskine, Mrs. Willie Spence, Mrs. Rudolph Luxich and Miss May.

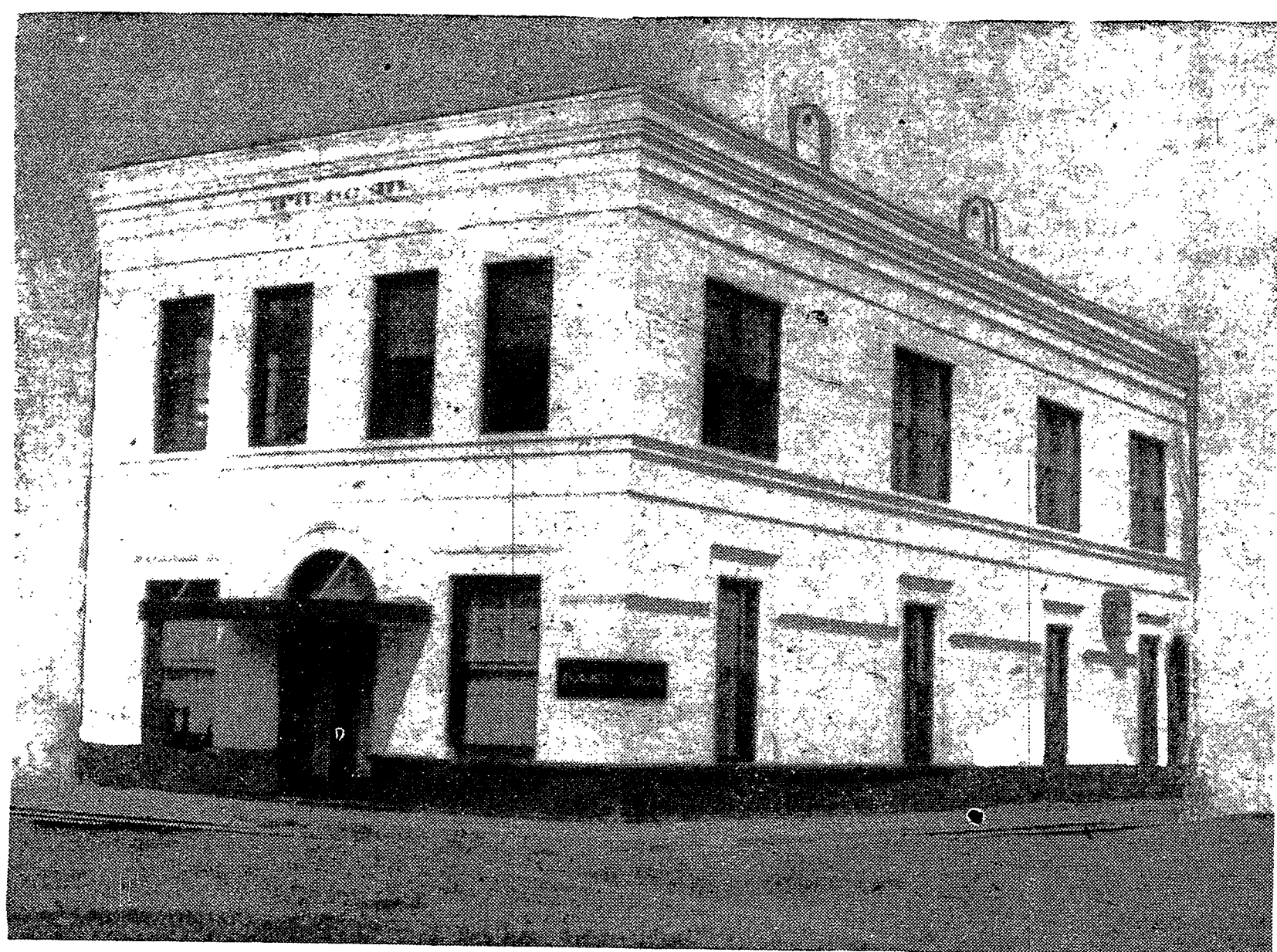
The morning program beginning at 9:00 A. M. and ending at 11:30 A. M. will be confined to the grammar schools of the County while the afternoon events will feature the high schools of Dedeaux, Bay St. Louis, Sellers and Kiln.

Trophies for the winning teams, both high and grammar schools will be presented as well as trophies to the high scorers in both groups. There will also be individual medals of gold, silver and bronze for first, second and third place winners in each event.

Among the many events are the broad and high jumps, shot put, baseball throw, dashes of from 25 to 100 yards, relays, and the 1600 yard run and relay.

Officials: Ed Breland, Honorary referee; Bro. Peter, Referee; Foster Commagere announcer; Bobby Camors starter; Father Toner, Brother Linus Brother Felician, Brother Flavian, finish judges; John Seafide, Pete Burge, Dick Thames, Roland Weston, Hap Weston, Wayne Alliston, field judges.

The day's events will be held at St. Stanislaus Stadium.



The Source Of All Wealth

Though many factors helped form the world's foremost Republic, work and thrift had much to do with it. Good government provided the incentive and the protection, but the nation was carved out of the wilderness by men and money at work.

Capital, as we know it, reduced to its simplest form, is what we have saved out of yesterday's wages. Our so-called free-enterprise system, upon which the whole world now leans for financial help, was made possible by the millions of us who toiled and saved.

And frugal government is as essential to our American economy as is thrift in the individual. There is no magic to federal funds. It is the people who support the government and when the government squanders their money, the people suffer. When the government takes too much of the workers' profits in taxes, there is little incentive left in the citizen and less venture capital for business. And when venture capital is taken, fewer jobs are provided for our increasing population. "The power to tax is" still "the power to destroy."

It is, therefore, as necessary for government to practice thrift as it is for the individual. Nothing is so much needed today as economy in government. Uncle Sam must pay his debts, retire War Bonds.

When the last depression settled on the country, individuals, corporations, cities, counties and states were caught short. They were over-extended. They had spent too much. Fortunately, the federal government was solvent and stepped in to stabilize the nation's currency and restore confidence. When government spends too much, when it squanders our substance, when its credit becomes impaired, the Republic is in danger.

So whether it be the individual citizen, a business or a government, the best security on this earth is thrift. It is as important to know how much to spend and when to invest money as it is to know how to make it. It is as unwise to waste money as to waste time.

It is just as true today as when Cicero wrote it 2,000 years ago. "In the family, as in the state, the best source of wealth is economy."

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Mrs. H. LaCoste and three children spent the week end in Biloxi, Miss.

Mrs. Russell Elliott and infant daughter Patricia Elaine returned to their home in Waveland during the week.

David Leo Burns of Water Valley, Miss. visited at the home of his aunt and uncle Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipley during the past week.

Mrs. Nellie Nelson, Mrs. C. C. McDonald, Mrs. T. T. Robin and Mrs. Mrs. Elizabeth Jenkins will leave for Hattiesburg, to attend the annual conference of the Women's Society of Christian Service, to be held at the Broad Street Methodist Church, Monday, April 5th through Wednesday the 7th.

Miss Beth Prague and guests, spent the Easter holidays with her aunt, Miss V. Gex. Miss Prague is a student of Newcomb College in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Gex had as their guests for the Easter holidays, Mrs. W. W. Calhoun, Miss Gertrude Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Calhoun and son, Clay, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White and two daughters left for their home in Algiers, a., after an extended visit with Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. F. Nelson.

Mayor G. Y. Blaize has been at Foundation Hospital in New Orleans, under observation for the past few days. It is reported that he is improving and that he will be home Saturday.

On Tuesday, March 6th St. Joseph Academy Parents Club will hold its regular monthly meeting in the school library, at 3:15 p. m. Co-hostesses for the day will be Mrs. J. W. Dupiquier and Mrs. H. B. Chapman.

S. J. A. Grammar Grades To Present Operetta Tonight, April 2nd.

Tonight, Friday, April 2nd., 1948, at 7:30 o'clock, the pupils of the 6th., 7th. and 8th. grades of St. Joseph Academy, will present "Sunny of Sunnyside," an operetta in two acts, in the school auditorium.

The program for "Sunny of Sunnyside" follows:

Musical Selection S. S. C. Orchestra

"SUNNY OF SUNNYSIDE"
Operetta in Two Acts

CHARACTERS:

Billie—The tomboy orphan—Joanne Lang

Leila—The vainest orphan—Nancy Velasco

Reddy—The "tough guy,"—Karen Kergosien

Amos—Leila's brother—Dolores Olivarietta

Heck—One of Reddy's gang—Judy Arnold

Phil—The fat boy, on a diet—Mary Ann Combs

Pauline—The fine lady—Suzanne Blanchard

Betty—The pet of Sunnyside—Grace JahncKe

Rosa—A fiery little daughter of Italy—Catherine Benigno

Theodora—The Quinn Twins—Anna Leona

Marie Piazza, Ina Piazza

Nap—A helper at Sunnyside—Joanne Blanchard

Sunny—The favorite of all the children—Mary Helen Curran

Paul—The new boy—Jane Robinson

Horace—The bookworm—Camilla Longshore

Howard—One of Reddy's Gang—Maureen Terry

Harriet—A very lively orphan—Honorable Damborino

Jimmy—The crippled orphan—Alice Dupiquier

Jimmy—The crippled orphan—Eileen

Eileen—Niece of the rich Mrs. Raleigh, patroness—Sandra Scatide

Tim—Another of Reddy's Gang—Gretchen JahncKe

Antonio—The Italian member of Reddy's gang—Beatrice Chiniche

Slim—Paul's older brother, a ne'er-do-well—Margaret Beyer

Jane—Another orphan—Carolyn Curet

and

Chorus of orphans composed of pupils of the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Grades

Eight Dancers—Kathryn Schick, Fern Lawrence, Joyce Garcia, Brenda Assenheimer, Mary Louise Wilder, Bonnie Rapier, Mary Lou Craig, Marlene Eloff

ACT I: The lawn of the Home of Sunnyside. A summer morning along toward noon.

"Ballerina Duet"—Mary Lou Craig Nancy Velasco

ACT II: Same as Act I—Two hours later.

Piano Accompanist—Mrs. Alcide J. Bordage, Sr.

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I wish, through this medium, to express my sincere and heartfelt thanks to all my friends and neighbors whose kindness and consideration meant so much to me, following the sudden death of my husband. I shall remember them and be grateful always.

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Little Theatre Hurricane Party At St. Joseph Auditorium Sat. Night

"Yes, My Darling Daughter" First Play of Season Opened
At Carroll Ave., Playhouse Wednesday Night

The opening play of the 1948 Little Theatre season was a credit to the entire organization and to our community. The team work and cooperation of the members of the cast, the director and all the hard-working assistants back stage has produced entertainment that would do credit to any group of professionals.

The audiences have been composed of a critical and extremely appreciative group from Bay St. Louis, Gulfport, Biloxi and New Orleans. The laughs throughout the play and all the flattering comments at the conclusion of each performance is indeed a tribute to the Little Theatre and to Bay St. Louis.

During the intermission the President John Bell announced that "Craig's Wife" will be the next play presented and will be directed by Mrs. Louise Drescher.

Try-outs for "Craig's Wife" are scheduled for next Monday night, April 5th at the Carroll Avenue playhouse and everyone who is interested is urged to be present for the casting.

Saturday April 3rd is the date for the Little Theatre Hurricane Party at the St. Joseph Academy gym. Although many tables have been reserved it is not necessary to make a reservation for the party. Tickets can be bought at the door and also chances on the big raffle. Prizes will be distributed at the hurricane party. Come dressed as you were during the storm or else dress as you'd like to be dressed if another hurricane was on the way—because the party will be hilarious and prizes will be awarded for the best costume.

Music will be furnished by Geo. Kramer's Orchestra the famous "Two Jacks and A Jill." Dennie Tonkle and Bob Drescher will play the drums and we all know what that means!

There will be drinks and stunts. This is the last chance to back up our merchants and businessmen who have donated the prizes so generously in order to raise the money for the new playhouse. For those of you who have seen "Yes My Darling Daughter" and have seen the picture of the proposed new building and who realize what an organization like our Little Theatre can mean to this community, attendance at the Hurricane Party and support of this movement is a MUST.

Miss Marion Steele of Chicago, Illinois, left for her home on Friday after having enjoyed a two weeks visit with her nephew and niece Dr. and Mrs. Harold M. Keefe.

Mr. and Mrs. Duralde Claiborne and their daughters, Lucie and Yvonne, spent last week end at their home on Nicholson Avenue. With them was Mr. Leonard Finley of New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mirambel spent last week end with Mrs. Mirambel's parents Mr. and Mrs. James Larroux in Cedar Point. Mrs. Mirambel is the former Miss Gloria Saucier.

James N. McConnell Jr. was over for a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James McConnell. The McConnells also had Miss Stella McConnell as their guest.

Carl Marshall, Jr., who is a student at Stunton Military Academy, Virginia, spent his holidays with his parents at their home in Gulfport and visited his friends in Bay St. Louis, while home.

Miss Nola Toal spent last week end in Bay St. Louis with her mother Mrs. Alvin Weinberg.

Recent guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. John L. Griffin were Mrs. Floyd Milton and her daughter Devota, of Jackson, Miss.

News from the bedside of Mrs. Joe Burrows is that she is steadily improving.

Mrs. W. F. Witter, Sr., is ill this week and is at the home of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Witter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. S. Patrick Murphy attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson's niece, Miss Jane Hogan to Mr. Michael Teen, which was celebrated on Wednesday evening in St. Paul's Lutheran Church Canal and Scott Sts., New Orleans.

Miss Annie Lois May, Home Demonstration Agent of Hancock County spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Hattiesburg, attending a District meeting.

Mrs. J. T. Wolfe and son J. T. motored to New Orleans on last Saturday and Sunday on a business trip.

The Misses Miriam and Levia Engman spent last Sunday in New Orleans as the guests of Mrs. Lillie Leonard.

Listed among the students on the honor roll of Ursuline College of New Orleans at the end of the first semester were Misses Jeanne Arceux and Anna Pitolo, St. Joseph Academy graduates and Misses Catherine Ellen and Patricia Kehoe former residents and students of St. Joseph.

W. Edgar Driver, of Monticello, Miss., brother of Mrs. W. W. Stockstill, was here for the funeral of his brother-in-law Mr. W. W. Stockstill. Mr. Driver was accompanied by Mr. James McGuffie, of Monticello.

Local Band Directors Named As Judges in State Contest

We have been informed that Brother Romuald, Director of the St. Stanislaus Band and Mr. George Wimberly, Director of the Bay High School Band, have been appointed to judge solos and ensembles in the State Band Contest.

The appointments came from Mr. B. D. McCallister, Executive Secretary of the Mississippi High School Music Association.

Due to the large number of bands registered for the annual State Band Contest this year, it will be impossible to have all the solo and ensembles in Jackson during the five days allotted for the contest events. Therefore the state was divided into districts and each district will hold the contest for solos and ensembles on the same day April 17. Brother Romuald and Mr. Wimberly were appointed to judge in the Brookhaven district.

Albert T. Leonhard Died In New Orleans Sunday

Albert T. Leonhard, died at Touro Infirmary in New Orleans, on Sunday morning, March 28th., and was buried on Monday from the Funeral Home of Jacob Schoen on Canal Street, with services at St. Vincent DePaul Cemetery.

Mr. Leonhard was 72 years of age, and was a native and resident of New Orleans, and was well known in Bay St. Louis. He was a brother of the late Mrs. Rita L. Breath and Ernest J. Leonhard, of Bay St. Louis and of Louis and Phillip Leonhard of New Orleans.

He was connected with the Leonhard Department Store in New Orleans, all of his life.

Surviving Mr. Leonhard are six sons, A. T. Jr., Walter, Joseph, Leo James, and Ernest, all of New Orleans.

He was an uncle of Mrs. Roger Boh, Mrs. Josie Olson, Mrs. J. C. Roland, Sr., and C. A. Breath, Jr., of Bay St. Louis.

Classes Resumed At Schools Following Easter Holidays

Schools of Bay St. Louis resumed classes after the Easter holidays, as follows: Bay High School on Monday, March 30th., St. Joseph Academy, Tuesday morning, March 31st with all boarders returning on Monday. St. Stanislaus boys, boarders, returned on Wednesday and classes started Thursday morning.

Monthly Meeting Of W. B. A. Held At Mrs. Nelson's Home, Monday

The regular meeting of the W. B. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Nellie Nelson on Monday, March 29th. Reports were given by the respective officers.

Mrs. Nelson read a letter of appreciation from Miss Sara Stiles of the Veterans Hospital in Gulfport, thanking the ladies for the pleasant outing afforded the veterans on Tuesday of last week. Those on the entertaining committee were: Mesdames Lizzie Capdepon, Nellie Nelson, Letitia Noto, Carmelita Saucier, Mrs. Ann Palmisano played the piano for all to sing.

Mrs. Anthony Noto Mrs. C. C. McDonald, Mrs. Nellie Nelson Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Guillory left for the Parents Teachers Association Annual Convention to be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week in Jackson, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Guillory will represent the Bay High Faculty and Mesdames Noto, McDonald and Nelson represent Bay High School.

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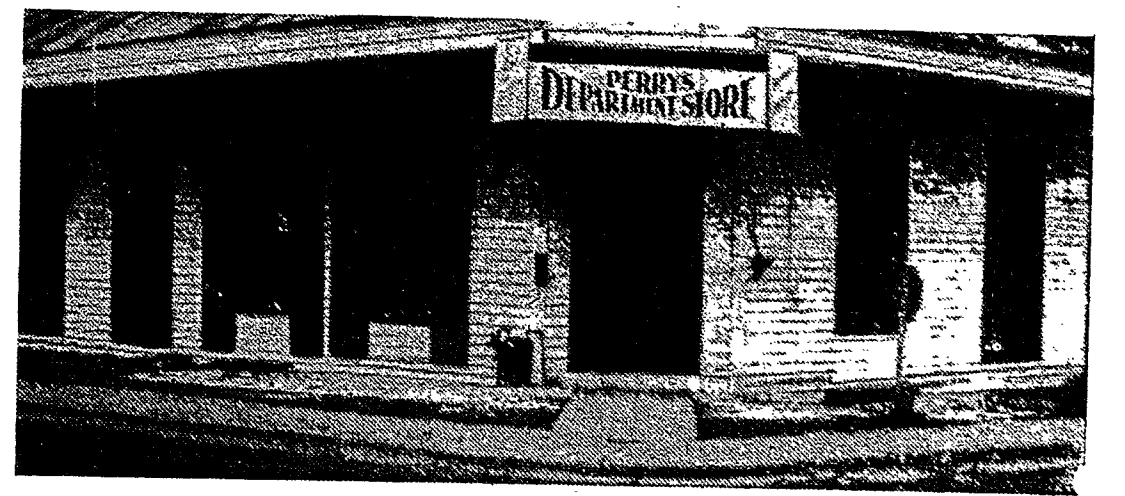
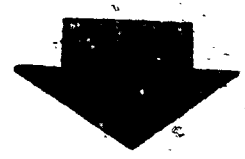
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Bay Waveland Garden Club Annual Flower Show To Be Held April 8th

The Annual Flower Show of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club will be held April 8, at the home of Mrs. F. R. Curran, 678 Beach Blvd., Waveland at three o'clock.

Exhibits for the show will be received between the hours of nine and twelve and no entries will be accepted after these hours. One exhibit may be entered in each class and entries are limited to members only.

Three ribbons will be awarded in each class also tricolor ribbons as well as a grand prize ribbon for the most blue ribbons won. Accredited judges will be used.

Classifications
1. Potted Plants
2. Specimen
a. Specimen entries must have two or more leaves on one stem and be displayed in clear glass container.

They must be grown by exhibitor.

3. Roses

a-group of Roses, one variety

b-group of Roses, mixed variety

4. Iris

a-one variety

b-mixed variety

5. Wild Flowers

a-one variety

b-mixed variety

c-centerpiece

d-fruit and vegetable

e-miniature (3 x 3) inches over all

f-small arrangement (not over 8 inches)

7. Baskets

8. Canned fruit, and vegetables.

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